The Weather
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KIDNAPERS SNATCH 2 GIRLS NEAR LAKESIDE

Desperate Effort by Men to Carry Off Victims May Cost One Life; the Police Have No Clew

BOTH LEAP FROM CAR IN MIDNIGHT RIDE

Couple Found in Street, Are Taken to Hospital and Tell Authorities Crime and Wild Ride

Miss Muriel Thorpe, a pretty girl of 348 Fourteenth street, is seriously injured, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Goldie Thorpe of the same address, is suffering from nervous shock and numerous abrasions, as the result of a struggle with two strange men in an automobile and a leap from the speeding car to escape from their unknown assailants, at 12:30 this morning.

According to the police, the women have been unable to give them descriptions of the two men or of the motor car. Neither was the license number of the car obtained, and the police are handicapped in their search for the principals in the daring attempted assault.

Miss Thorpe is suffering from concussion of the brain and a possible fracture of the skull. Mrs. Thorpe, her sister-in-law, is cut and bruised about the entire body, and is suffering from nervous shock, as the result of her experiences.

KIDNAPED, THEY SAY.

Mrs. Thorpe, whose husband, a printer, is now in Spokane, and her sister-in-law, left their home early last evening and attended a performance at a downtown theater. It was while walking along Fourteenth street toward their home, shortly after midnight, that they were accosted by two men in an automobile.

Mrs. Thorpe told the police that one of the men volunteered to take them to their home. Mrs. Thorpe says she told him that they but a short distance away and would walk there. The men insisted, however, and finally persuaded the two to get into the car. Instead of driving in the direction of their home, however, the man at the wheel headed the car east on Fourteenth street.

The two women expostulated with the motorists, but in vain. The driver increased the speed of the car. The women then began to scream, Mrs. Thorpe says, whereupon the car was driven at even greater speed. At Grand avenue and Perry street, in the exclusive head-of-the-lake district, they decided to jump from the speeding machine.

THEY BOTH LEAP.

Miss Thorpe jumped first. She fell on her head. Her sister-in-law followed soon afterward, and was more fortunate. Although thrown a distance of several feet, she did not lose consciousness. She found Miss Thorpe in an unconscious condition. She then screamed, and the two women were found in the street by Stanley Hitchcock, an employe of the Hitchcock Patrol Service, who removed them to the emergency hospital in his automobile. Miss Thorpe was placed in bed for the night, and was removed to her home this morning.

The automobile continued on its way with increased speed after the women had jumped from the running board. The women say no attempt was made to prevent them from making the leap.

Postpone Action on Broadway Extension

The council today passed a resolution deferring till June 1 the matter of deciding which of two alternative plans for the extension of Broadway across the property of the Oakland, Antioch & Eastern railroad would be accepted. The deeds for the alternative proposals are being held in escrow.

One contemplates a direct extension of the street, while the other would call for a division of the street into two roadways traversing a plot of land to be broken up into building lots. The extension of time was granted at the request of the railway company.

City Attorney Paul C. Morf advised the council that it could not terminate its contract with the Signal Steamship company for barging garbage to sea, as a result of the wrecking of the Aberdeen, as such a course would relieve the steamship company of its liabilities and obligations so far as the city was concerned.

Idle Husbands Go on the Rock Pile

Idle husbands who fail to support their wives will be put to work on a county rock pile on the roads, according to arrangements made by District Attorney Hynes with the Supervisors and road foreman. Men convicted of failure to provide will hereafter be sentenced to work and their families will receive a certain amount per day for their labor.

Assurance that the measure will be put into force was given by District Attorney Hynes today to a delegation of women headed by Mrs. Helen S. Arteldа, who sought information in the matter.

Roosevelt Now Has Five Grandsons

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 17.—A cablegram from Buenos Ayres announces the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt. Mrs. Roosevelt was Miss Belle Willard of Richmond, daughter of the American Ambassador at Madrid. Mrs. Roosevelt has been in Buenos Ayres two months. This is Colonel Roosevelt's fifth grandchild.

'Bible Obscene,' Minister's Charge

Seeks to Prohibit It From U. S. Mails

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Characterizing the Bible as a collection of Hebraic fables containing obscene and improper matter designed to injure and not uplift, the Rev. George Morgan, octogenarian, lawyer, doctor and former Congregational minister of Berkeley, has been seeking the arrest of officers of the American Bible Society. He applied to United States Commissioner Francis Krull for a citation against them for unlawful use of the mails.

Dr. Morgan, who is father-in-law of George Hind, partner of Mayor James Rolph Jr., and member of the firm of Hind-Rolph & Co., is at present sojourning in San Rafael. He has made repeated trips to the federal building and has spread his propaganda against the Bible broadcast. Commissioner Krull, on his last visit, turned him over to David Jones, Chinese interpreter and a Bible student and investigator.

Jones argued at length with Morgan, but without any success in changing his views. When, however, he accused his opponent of doing the very thing which he was seeking to prosecute the officers of the Bible Institute for, Dr. Morgan decided to drop his prosecution. Jones pointed out that in his attacks on passages of the Bible he had quoted some of the alleged obscenities to which he objected.

Houston for War Secretary, Rumor

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Cabinet gossip today took a strong trend toward the possible transfer of Secretary Houston from the Department of the Agriculture to the war. Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of Ohio State University and Representative Asbury F. Lever of South Carolina, chairman of the House agriculture committee, were being discussed as successors to Secretary Houston.

Strychnine Is Found in Alleged "Love" Potion

R. Benzinger, the city chemist, reported to the police today that the white powder which Joseph Perry had given to Mrs. Gussie Ponte of 3466 Louise street, with instructions to give it to her husband, Manuel G. Ponte, was strychnine. The police have instructed Perry to appear at the Central station and explain the circumstances.

Mrs. Ponte reported to the police yesterday that Perry, who she said was an admirer of hers, had furnished her with the powder several days ago. He told her, she said, to feed a portion of it to the chickens and, if they died, to then administer some of it to her husband's food.

Ponte is an employe of the Judson Iron works.

Zeppelin Blown Away by Wind; Is Interned

LONDON, Feb. 17.—A Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily Mail says that in yesterday's storm a Zeppelin was blown adrift, apparently from Belgium, and wrecked at Bierik, near Venlo, where it was seized and interned by the authorities.

REPORT DENIED.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—A dispatch from Rotterdam to the Star says that the report that a Zeppelin had been blown adrift during yesterday's storm and wrecked at Bierik, in Holland, and there seized and interned by the authorities is without foundation.

Captured Army Officers to Draw Their Salaries

PARIS, Feb. 17—Under the terms of an order issued by the war office as published in the army organ, La France Militaire, German officers who are prisoners of war in France are to receive each month pay equal to that of French officers on leave as previously fixed in the French army regulations.

Similar treatment is to be accorded French officers who are prisoners in Germany. This arrangement has been reached through negotiations between the French and German governments.

Search in Boston for Poison Suspect

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—While no official information was forthcoming it was learned today that Chicago officials had been informed that Jen Crones, wanted in connection with the placing of poison in soup served at a banquet recently given Archbishop Mundelein, has been seen in Boston. A careful search of the city is being made.

Fritz Schoenfeldt, believed by the police to have been a friend of Crones, was arrested here today.

Stolen Automobile Is Cause of Two Arrests

Jerome Cyril Donnelly and Curtis Lee Blenk were arrested last night when found in possession of an automobile stolen from James Jumes, 1867 Seventh street. No charge has been filed against them as yet.

Emile Mitchell, arrested last night in a lodging house in which he is said to have represented himself to be a policeman, is being held for investigation.

New Japanese Consul for the Bay Region

TOKIO, Feb. 17.—Masanao Hanihara, chief of the telegram section of the foreign section of the foreign office and formerly attache of the Japanese Embassy to the United States, has been appointed consul-general at San Francisco. Rokuro Morol, first embassy secretary at the foreign department, has been appointed consul-general at Honolulu.

Khedive of Egypt Now Is Discontented

BERLIN, Feb. 17.—Advices from Cairo as given out by the Overseas News Agency state that the Khedive of Egypt has become discontented and that the British have offered the throne to Prince Yusuf, who has declined. The leader of the Senussi is said to have informed the British he was powerless to suppress the rebels.

LINERS MUST BE WARNED, U. S. DEMAND

Germany Informed of Necessities in Lusitania Case

Understanding Is That Submarine Plan Will Stand

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Secretary Lansing said late today that the United States would accept nothing short of a full and complete agreement in the submarine controversy with Germany covering the points for which it has contented as to the past and assurances for the future. Secretary Lansing said the United States considered the announcement of the new submarine campaign inconsistent with assurances previously given and that the United States considered a merchant ship with defensive armament and one without guns not at all in the same class. Assurances were wanted, he said, to extend immunity from "liners" to all merchant ships.

The question of what constitutes defensive armament is to be determined in a way not yet agreed upon. It is suggested that the United States may propose that guns mounted on the stern of ships and capable of being swung from fifteen to thirty degrees in either direction might come within that class.

It was stated authoritatively that Germany, because of its unusual position, cannot and will not accept the suggestion of the United States as it now stands that liners carrying arms shall be immune from attack under previous assurances.

Secretary Lansing is understood to have told the ambassador that while Germany's position is recognized as well founded, the United States must insist that Germany conform all her practices to international law, in as much as the entente allies have declined to make any changes.

The Lusitania agreement will be kept by Secretary Lansing and later will be published with the assurances which the United States hopes to receive from Germany covered the points brought up by the new submarine campaign.

Meanwhile it was said the United States would make efforts to have the entente allies agree not to put guns on any kind of passenger carrying liners.

Ambassador von Bernstorff when he returned to his embassy sent a dispatch to his government stating fully the position of the United States as Secretary Lansing had outlined to him and which was substantially as stated in last night's news dispatches.

POLITICAL PLOT AGAINST CAPT. PETERSEN?

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WIFE ADMITS SHE CONSULTED CHIEF WOODS

BIG PLOT IS CHARGED TO RED CROSS

U. S. Consul-General Is Also Attacked in Accusations

Mexican Official Says Scheme Was to Invade Republic

Sensational charges against United States Consul-General W. W. Canada of Mexico and other government and Red Cross officials, and allegations that they are concerned in a gigantic plot to cause American intervention in the war-torn republic, are contained in a printed statement which has just been issued by R. P. de Negri, consul-general of Mexico at San Francisco.

The accusations, coming from a friendly consul in the United States and directed against the United States consul in Mexico, are almost without precedent in this country, and are causing much comment in American official circles. They may result in a general investigation.

The charges of De Negri, published in pamphlet form, are also directed against C. J. O'Connor and Stephen Bonsal, two of the agents for the American Red Cross, who were in Mexico. Bonsal is a former war correspondent for a number of large Eastern papers and a friend of the Wilson administration. In 1913 he accepted a billet in Manila under Governor-General Francis Burton Harrison of the Philippines.

Bonsal and O'Connor are charged with having sent scores of misleading reports to the American press regarding the situation in Mexico City and surrounding communities regarding the alleged many cases of death by starvation immediately prior and subsequent to the occupation of the capital by the Constitutionalists. These false reports, avers De Negri, were favored by Canada, and were spread broadcast in the hope that the United States would intervene in Mexican affairs and oust the Carranzistas.

In addition, the two Red Cross agents are alleged to have been grossly incompetent in their handling of the situation in Mexico. It is said that the red tape of their organization prevented effective work, and that much petty graft occurred. Here

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MEXICAN DATA IS SUBMITTED TO SENATE

Report Shows 118 Americans Have Been Killed in Three Years.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—All of the State Department's data on the Mexican situation asked for by Senator Fall was transmitted to the Senate today by President Wilson under motion of Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee, and was ordered printed as a public document. It was expected some of it would be held confidential.

In a letter from Secretary Lansing accompanying the report, it is said that seventy-six Americans citizens were killed in Mexico in the years 1913, 1914, 1915, as against forty-seven in the three years preceding it, and that twenty-six civilian Americans and sixteen soldiers were killed on American soil in the same three years as a result of Mexican troubles.

In describing the Carranza government Secretary Lansing wrote in the report:

"It cannot be said that the de facto government of Mexico is a constitutional government. The de facto government, like the majority of the revolutionary governments, is of a military character, but that government has committed itself to the holding of elections and it is confidently expected that the present government will within a reasonable time be merged or succeeded by a government organized under the constitution and laws of Mexico."

MEXICAN BANDITS KILL TWENTY RANCHERS

EL PASO, Feb. 17.—Twenty Mexican ranchers in the state of Durango were killed by a band of 400 bandits that appeared at Rancho San Juan February 1, according to a messenger that reached here today bearing messages from an American to local mining men. The messenger stated the bandits marched to the Sierro Prieto district and were not molested by small Carranza forces at Santa Barbara and Parral. These advices reported that each ranch en route was looted and females over ten years old were maltreated, their male relatives being forced witnesses.

U. S. PROSECUTOR PRESTON IN DELIRIUM

His Condition Becomes Critical as Result of Bomb Threats.

United States Attorney John W. Preston, who has been under treatment at St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco, for several days, is reported today to have suffered a complete mental and physical breakdown, being in the throes of bodily agony and the frenzy of delirium. His condition has become so much worse within the last 24 hours that a special nurse and guard are with him constantly.

According to the report of Dr. C. M. Cooper, the prosecutor's physician, the pulse of his patient had reached one hundred and ten.

The breakdown of Attorney Preston came at the close of the alleged bomb plot disclosures involving German Consul-General Bopp and his official associates. When the indictments were made public through the Department of Justice in Washington, D. C., Preston received several threatening letters. These missives so preyed on his mind that it was found necessary for him to go to a hospital and since there his condition has become worse instead of improving.

On account of Preston's illness it is uncertain if the pleadings of Consul-General Bopp and his associates will be made next Monday in the United States District Court. Last week when the first indictments against Bopp and others were dismissed by Judge Maurice T. Dooling, Preston was represented in court by deputies from his office, who stated that it might be a long time before their superior could appear in court.

Starvation Menaces Many Flood Marooned

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 17.—Flood waters from the crevasse in the Mississippi river at Buck Ridge today after filling Lake Bruin, seven miles below Newellton, approached the town of St. Joseph. Hundreds of recruits have joined the parties rescuing marooned persons. Boats are scarce.

At Newellton, where several thousand negro refugees are housed in mills and cotton gins, there is scarcely more than enough food to last through the day. Three negroes have been drowned, and outside the town itself about 75,000 acres of farm land are inundated.

WEDDING STOPPED BY GUEST

ADMIRAL'S WIFE ROUTS CUPID

LIEUTENANT SAILS SANS WIFE

FRASER PHOTO.

MISS MARIE WHITING, WHOSE MOTHER, INVITED TO HER WEDDING, WENT—BUT PREVENTED THE CEREMONY.

Somebody Else Plays One Hand While Mother Goes to Play Another

Cupid's dart stopped with a dull thud yesterday afternoon when Mrs. W. H. Whiting, wife of Admiral Whiting, retired, after receiving a telephone call from her daughter Marie to hurry across the bay to a wedding, calmly surrendered her card hand to another member of the bridge club, caught a ferryboat and sent Lieutenant James Harvey Taylor, U. S. N., to the briny deep a wifeless but a wiser man.

As a result of the skirmish between a determined and emphatic mother and an ardent, but inexperienced lieutenant, the marriage license issued yesterday by County Clerk Gross to Taylor and Miss Whiting will repose—just repose—while a couple of fluttering hearts continue to flutter and the navy romance remains in statue quo.

TELEPHONE UPSETS PLAN.

So far as the near-elopement is concerned, nothing but a discreet telephone call upset the plan. Taylor's leave of absence, which he has been enjoying for the past two months, expired this morning and today, in some neighborly longitude and latitude, the youth is at his station "shooting the sun" and marking the good ship's position on the vessel's log.

All of which is contrary to the form, force and effect of his best-laid plan. It was his bride-to-be's idea to call up Mrs. Whiting at the card club and advise the parent of the contemplated culmination of the pretty love affair. Just what was said from the San Francisco end of the wire is not of record, but it was enough. That "he who hesitates is lost" was demonstrated within sixty minutes. After the conference this was all that issued:

NO WEDDING BELLS—YET.

"She's not going to be married at all. When she is I'll let the newspapers know."

All of which is in the first person, feminine gender, maternal side of the house and authoritative.

But the match is not off. The match is approved by the families, but Taylor has two years of sea duty and both are very young. When the lieutenant returned from Mexican waters in January Mrs. Whiting and her daughter journeyed to Coronado to greet him. The engagement was announced last year, following a social season at Mare Island. Miss Whiting is popular both at Berkeley, where the family resides, and in the younger set of the coast. Her mother was Miss Etta Afong of Honolulu, daughter of the millionaire Chinese merchant of that place. Her resolution to suspend the plan of her prospective son-in-law was predicated upon a consideration of the youth of the pair.

All of which proves that a good hand—at bridge or hearts—does not always depend upon the cards you hold.

Bell Sounds First Call for Champ Clark Candidacy

The tolling echo of the spoken word, reverberating through the political abyss of Democracy appears to have come back to the ears of the Wilson cohorts in California, in a "confidential" letter just received from Theodore A. Bell, urging, for the first time in this state, the presidential aspirations of Champ Clark. Bell recently made an uncompromising attack upon President Wilson, in which he discounted his value as a leader and predicted his utter rout at the next national elections. The speech excited statewide Democratic comment, as it was the first utterance from Bell, who has been a Democratic oracle, and at one time headed the state ticket for governor.

That the inspiration for the anti-Wilson attack was the Champ Clark boom in California is frankly now acknowledged in the Bell letter received today by some of the party adherents. While no announcement has been made from Washington, Bell urges that everything be done to stop the Wilson movement in this state, and that a Champ Clark sentiment be fostered by the party leaders. That Bell has been selected to toss the hat of the speaker of the House into the political arena in the west has surprised many.

In part, explaining his Wilson attack, Bell's letter says:

"I hope you will do your utmost in your community to prevent any crystallization of sentiment in favor of a candidate who is doomed to defeat himself and his party at the same time. The logic of events will compel Clark to enter the lists, for he has never failed to respond to his party's call of duty without regard to consequences to himself. His strength among the masses is wonderful. Clark is popular not only among our German-Americans, but as well among all classes and elements of our mixed population, and he can bring a strength to the Democratic party that no other human being can bring.

"I was very radical and direct in my published interview as to Wilson's renomination, for the simple reason that I wanted it to reach the quick, without any evasion or straddling. It is somewhat of a shock to the 'federal brigade' who naturally must stand for the president's renomination, whether their individual judgment approves this course or not. Naturally, I will be attacked here and there, but this is just what I desired to invite. We have a man's job on our hands, and in the words of 'Teddy,' we ought not to use a '22' instead of a '45' caliber."

SEPARATION FOMENTED, IS CHARGED BY FRIENDS

Mayor Not Surprised at Legal Action Taken by Aggrieved Spouse, He Frankly Admits

"NOT DIVORCE, BUT SEPARATE LIVING"

Neglected for Divorcee, Alleges His Wife in Complaint—Many Instances Are Alleged

While Captain W. J. Petersen maintains a stubborn silence in the face of the charges brought against him by his wife in her suit for separate maintenance, his friends are voluble in his defense, and the charge is made that there is a political significance to the filing of the charges at this time. Petersen has refused to make any comment upon this phase of the situation.

It is known that for some months private detectives watched Petersen, both while he was chief of police and when he was transferred to his old rank of captain of inspectors. He was a central figure in the recent municipal election, being attacked by Mayor John L. Davie. The statement was made at that time that Petersen would be ousted from the police department.

A PRIVATE REVENGE.

Friends of the captain of inspectors say that, failing to find any misdoing in the public record of Petersen, his enemies turned to his private affairs. They say that by the method of having many women drop insinuating remarks in the presence of Mrs. Petersen, they caused the suspicions of the wife of the police official to be aroused. Sympathy was expressed to Mrs. Petersen over her husband's alleged "infatuation," said the friends of Petersen, until the poison worked upon her mind, and led her to believe the charges which she has now made public.

That Petersen was peculiarly susceptible to this sort of an attack is the contention of those who are taking his part. His public statement concerning social morality was turned and twisted so as to make an argument that they must be a defense of his personal life, it is declared, and the freedom of conduct Petersen has enjoyed in public with regard not only to the woman named in the complaint, but with regard to many women, left him open to attack.

"NOTHING TO SAY."

"I cannot discuss this matter," Petersen said today. "I have championed certain beliefs that were unpopular and unconventional. Now that this has come, I must bear it as best I can. I have nothing to say.

"I have not received a copy of the complaint, and I do not know that I shall wish to say anything when I do receive it. I am deeply sorry for my wife and for Mrs. Makins in this matter. But I cannot and will not talk about it."

Mayor John L. Davie stated today that he had expected something of the kind, as he had known "the circumstances for some time."

"Chief Woods told me it was because of this affair that Petersen, when chief, sent him to the Melrose district. Woods had gone to Petersen to warn him that he should be careful of his conduct, and not be seen around in cafes and restaurants with women.

"'You get out to the Melrose district and stay there,' Petersen told Woods, and had him transferred.

"These things always work out. A man in public life cannot afford to let his private life get into a mess of this kind."

CHIEF CONSULTED.

The mayor said he did not know what had brought the matter to a head.

It is known that Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Petersen have been friends for years, and that the two families visited one another. Mrs. Petersen admitted today that she had consulted Chief Woods about the matter.

"What effect will this matter have on Petersen's position in the department?" Chief Woods was asked.

"I cannot say until the evidence has been presented," said Woods. "I have not read the newspaper article."

"You did not have to read it, did you?" he was asked. "You have been familiar with this situation for a long time, have you not?"

"It is one thing to make charges against a man and another thing to prove them," said Woods.

"What did Mrs. Petersen ask you, and what did you tell her about this affair?"

"Did I say Mrs. Petersen had called

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News of Men and Affairs at Washington

'BIG FOUR' WILL PREFER CANDIDATE

Other Delegates Invite Gov. Whitman to Join in Conference.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Three of the four delegates at large from New York State to the Republican National Convention at Chicago, designated at the state convention here yesterday, late last night addressed letters to Governor Whitman, the other member of the "Big Four," inviting him to a conference for the purpose of "deciding upon a preference for the Republican nomination for president."

Those who addressed communications to Governor Whitman were United States Senator James W. Wadsworth Jr., State Chairman Frederick C. Tanner and Elon R. Brown, majority leader in the State Senate. All three of them are declared to be in favor of a nomination of former Senator Elihu Root for the presidency, although his name was not mentioned in their letters to the governor.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 17.—Governor Whitman said late last night that even though the other delegates at large to the Republican National Convention from New York favor Elihu Root as the Republican candidate for president, he still wishes to see Justice Charles E. Hughes nominated.

Davis to Stump the State for Wilson

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—"My only active participation in politics this year," declares Collector of the Port J. C. Davis, "will be to go on the stump to help further the re-election of President Wilson."

"But what about that Federal rule," asks Henry H. McPike, "that Davis and the other members of the Federal brigade cited when they refused to take part in the gubernatorial campaign last year for Curtin, on the ground that Federal office-holders couldn't engage in politics?

"And I remember that Davis used the name excuse," adds McPike, "when he resigned from the Jefferson Club, dues 25 cents per month."

Davis contends he never wanted to go to St. Louis as a delegate to the Democratic National Convention.

"I guess he means that he has found he can't go," adds Timothy E. Treacy, past grand sachem of the Iroquois Club. "The Federal brigade wanted to go to St. Louis as delegates, but there is opposition to those gentlemen."

Mare Island Bill Is Signed by President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Wilson yesterday signed the first of the national defense bills.

One increases the entrance class at the naval academy by 300 cadets and the other makes immediately available $500,000 for facilities for building warships at the Mare Island navy yard and $100,000 for like improvements at the New York navy yard.

Senator Tillman, chairman of the naval affairs committee, followed up his attack on the armor-plate barons by introducing a bill providing for the government purchase and operation of private armor-plate plants until the government's plant is built.

This bill was in reply to the threat of the manufacturers to raise the price to the government $200 a ton if the pending bill for government manufactures of its own plate is passed.

WHY GARRISON QUIT; HERE'S 'REAL INSIDE'

Twice Before Former Cabinet Official Threatened to Resign; Wilson's Tyrannical Attitude Cause

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. — The sudden resignation of Mr. Garrison as Secretary of War and of Mr. Breckinridge as Assistant Secretary have filled the Democrats with dismay. Of all the men in President Wilson's Cabinet, Mr. Garrison was the one who had attracted popular approval as a forceful, fearless, upright man, and all familiar with the facts realize the truth of Colonel Harvey's statement that "Garrison resigned because he refused to continue as a clerk under Woodrow Wilson," an explanation which, coming from the original Woodrow Wilson man, and even now his friend, is potent for political injury. On almost every important problem of the Wilson administration Secretary Garrison has stated his position fearlessly and unequivocally and in almost every instance his views have been bitterly opposed by McAdoo—often by Bryan and Daniels—and finally rejected by Mr. Wilson. This has been peculiarly true of the Philippines, where twice Mr. Garrison has been on the point of resigning, of the Mexican policy, and of the administration of the Army.

"INSIDE" OF IT ALL.

Those who are on the inside in Washington affairs realize perfectly that, after the monarchial—not to say tyrannical—attitude of President Wilson, the most important divergence of view between Judge Garrison and the President related to the Philippines, a divergence which twice before very nearly occasioned Mr. Garrison's resignation. Here is some of the unwritten, but clearly established, history. In March, 1913, the gravity of the floods in Dayton, Ohio, and that vicinity led the President to send Secretary Garrison to the scene. Hardly had he left town when Secretaries Bryan and Daniels (who was always a "me too" to Bryan) appeared at the White House and urged the President to appoint Joe Davies, then secretary of the Democratic National Committee and commissioner of corporations, Governor-General of the Philippines. The President, who had become somewhat sensitive because several men had refused proffered appointments, replied that he would not offer the place to Davies until he learned that Davies would accept.

CONSULT WITH DAVIES.

Bryan and Daniels departed to consult Davies, but some friend quietly wired Garrison what was doing. Mr. Garrison immediately wired the President: "I emphatically protest against the appointment of a Governor-General of the Philippines during my absence."

Then Bryan and Daniels came back. "Joe will accept and is delighted with the offer," they said. "But I have not offered him the place," replied Mr. Wilson. "I merely commissioned you to ascertain if he would accept," and, although convinced he was wrong, nothing they could say would induce him to change his position. When Mr. Garrison returned he took the matter up with the President, who asked "What is the matter with Joe?" Mr. Garrison replied: "W. Cameron Forbes, the present incumbent, is a high-class, broad-gauge man. I regard that place as the most important in my department, and the success of my administration of the War Department largely dependent on the ability of Forbes' successor. I sympathize with your desire to appoint a Democrat. I have nothing against Davies except that I do not regard him as a big enough man for the place."

PUTS IT UP TO HIM.

The President straightened up and said: "Garrison, do you question the right of the President to appoint whom he sees fit as Governor-General of the Philippines?" "No, Mr. President," replied Garrison, looked Mr. Wilson in the eye, "I merely want to make sure that when you announce the appointment of Joe Davies as Governor-General of the Philippines you will simultaneously announce the resignation of Lindley M. Garrison as Secretary of War."

"Oh," said the President, "if you feel as strongly as that about it we will say no more about the matter." Meanwhile, however, Joe Davies has told his friends, "in confidence," that he was to succeed Forbes. And here is the official confirmation of this story. Mr. Wilson soon thereafter appointed Davies chairman of the Trade Commission, and when the official typewritten statement was given out at the White House it contained this concluding paragraph:

"Mr. Davies had previously declined the Governor-Generalship of the Philippines because he had young children and feared the effect on their health of the tropical climate."

During all the time that Davies occupied the position of Commissioner of Corporations, which should be an essentially non-partisan office, he had continued to hold the office and perform the duties of secretary of the Democratic National Committee.

HOW HARRISON GOT JOB.

Some time later Secretary Garrison was persuaded to go on an inspection tour of the Army posts and fortifications. The President telegraphed him asking if he had any objection to the appointment of Francis Burton Harrison as Governor-General of the Philippines. He replied, in substance: "Don't know Harrison, but if he measures up to the requirements I have outlined to you I have no objection." When Mr. Wilson announced Harrison's appointment he was asked by a newspaper man who knew the details of the Davies incident, if Mr. Garrison approved of Harrison's appointment. "Why certainly. Of course he does," replied the President. "Mr. President, don't you manage to extract a good deal of enthusiasm from a rather chilling telegram?" was the next question. The newspaper man was hazarding a guess on his knowledge of Mr. Garrison's views. The President promptly resented what he termed "the insinuation" in the question and declined further to discuss the subject, but he caused an extensive investigation to be made in an effort to ascertain how the newspaper correspondent had learned the contents of Mr. Garrison's telegram. When Secretary Garrison returned to Washington, learned how little Harrison did measure up to the requirements he had outlined, and realized that Mr. Wilson had put one over on him, he came very near resigning, but decided to wait and see how Harrison turned out.

OPPOSED MEXICAN POLICY.

Secretary Garrison, while never pressing his views, never failed to express in unmistakable terms at the Cabinet table his disapproval of President Wilson's Mexican policy.

GARRISON AND M'ADOO.

"There was no member of the Cabinet who felt so keenly the impropriety and injustice to other Cabinet officers involved in President Wilson's retention of his son-in-law in the Cabinet. He felt that it placed other Cabinet officers in a position where they could not oppose Mr. McAdoo's schemes without opposing a member of the President's own family and perhaps incurring the very effective opposition of the President's favorite daughter. Judge Garrison and McAdoo took diametrically opposing views of practically every question and McAdoo came thoroughly to dislike the Secretary of War. A notable instance of this was seen when, recently, it was discovered that while the Secret Service, under McAdoo, was being financed by Mr. Garrison, through a War Department appropriation, in the investigation of those neutrality violations which led to the demand for Captain Boy-Ed's recall, Mr. McAdoo was causing the investigations to be made by the investigating force of the Department of Justice for reasons he doubtless could explain—if he would.

Of all the men in the Cabinet the only one consistently sympathetic with Mr. Garrison has been Secretary Lane, and, of course, his duties are in a widely different sphere, although his resignation would occasion no great surprise. Under the circumstances, it is not surprising that Democrats are sorely depressed by Mr. Garrison's retirement.

DANIELS TO ABATE WAR CENSORSHIP

Violation of Neutrality Is Only Bar to Any Oversea Message.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. — Secretary Daniels announced late yesterday that he would authorize a modification of the regulations under which wireless dispatches are censored by naval officers so as to permit, when no violation of neutrality was involved, the passage of messages referring to naval vessels and operation of belligerent ships.

This announcement was made shortly after Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, had asked the State Department for an explanation as to why the American naval censors at Sayville, N. Y., had rejected wireless dispatches from Berlin containing official announcements from the Admiralty which the British censors had passed for publication in England.

Daniels explained that censors had acted under the existing regulations, drafted by a board of naval officers, after an exhaustive study of the question of radio censorship, and prohibiting the transmission into this country of any message referring to "movements or locations of war, or other vessels of the belligerents."

The object of the regulation, he said, was to prevent violations of neutrality by the admission of dispatches containing information of a military value, which might be used by agents of a belligerent nation in this country.

In cases where the information came officially from a foreign government, and were printed in the territory of an enemy country, the Secretary said he believed the prohibition could be removed.

Food for Carranza's Troops Is Shipped

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 17.—The first shipment of $50,000 worth of provisions for the de facto government soldiers of Mexico left here last night on a train of twenty-five cars consigned to Carranza officials at Nogales, Mexico. Orders are being placed today for more than $400,000 worth of rations for the Carranza troops to be shipped in lots of fifteen and twenty carloads through various gateways, it was said.

SAW BOMBS DROPPED.

VALLEJO, Feb. 17. — Mrs. Roy Lindsay received a letter Tuesday from her husband, employed on one of the Atlantic liners, saying that he witnessed the big German air raid at London on January 24th. The Teuton aircraft, he wrote, could be seen plainly from his vessel as they dropped bombs onto the various buildings. Lindsay expected to leave England the last of this week for New York.

BOSTON LAWYER ACCUSES BRANDEIS

He Tells Senatorial Committee About "Wrecking" of New Haven.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Moorefield Storey, Boston attorney, charged before the judiciary sub-committee of the Senate today that Louis D. Brandeis helped to wreck the New York & New England railroad in 1892 and 1893, with the result that it was absorbed by the New Haven road.

Asked as to Brandeis' reputation as a lawyer, Storey testified:

"I think his reputation in the Boston bar is that he is very capable, very energetic and if necessary to advance his objects he is not scrupulous as to his methods, nor is he to be trusted."

Storey has been summoned by the committee in its inquiry into the fitness of Brandeis for the supreme court. Senator Walsh told the witness that C. W. Barron of Boston had said that Brandeis was once employed to help wreck the New England railroad.

"I think that is true," said Storey. He proceeded to describe the New England as a competitor of the New Haven between Boston and New York.

"In the spring of 1892 Brandeis brought a series of ten suits against the New England Railroad in Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island," Storey said. "He was acting ostensibly for N. F. Goldsmith, a Boston liquor dealer, and small New England stockholders and some associates.

PROBED BY LEGISLATURE.

"The bills were designed to paralyze the financial operations of the New England road. One suit was to prevent the payment of dividends on preferred stock; another to prevent the issue of mortgage bonds and another attacked the New England's leases on branch lines.

"In the following year the Massachusetts Legislature investigated relations of the New Haven and New England roads. I conducted the hearing. Mr. Brandeis testified there that he was counsel in all thees suits which impaired the finances of the New England road, forcing it into receiver's hands in 1892, from which it emerged as the property of the New Haven.

"The suits, while brought in the name of Gold smith, were really brought in some other interests.

ORDERS FROM OUTSIDE.

"It appeared that Judge W. K. Kelly of New York, now on the Supreme court, was interested in the case. When I asked Mr. Brandeis if he made any charges to Goldsmith and his associates he admitted that he did not and said money was paid to him through Judge Kelly.

"It was apparent that the suits were not brought in the interest of his ostensible clients. Brandeis took directions from some outside sources. Names of those directly interested never were disclosed."

MARYE RESIGNATION DEEMED UNTIMELY

PETROGRAD, Feb. 17.—The resignation of George T. Marye, the American ambassador to Russia, which has been sent to Washington and which expressed a desire that he be relieved of his duties at as early a date as possible, is regarded as coming at an especially inopportune moment, in view of the fact that Charles S. Wilson, the first secretary of the embassy, has been transferred and is leaving at once for Madrid. Ambassador Marye gave ill-health as the reason for desiring to leave Petrograd.

Wilson is the only member of the embassy staff whose experience has placed him in close touch with the affairs of the embassy. Neither of the other two secretaries has been here more than ten months. Mr. Marye's resignation was sent to Washington more than four weeks ago, sometime prior to Wilson being notified of his transfer to Madrid.

In expressing regret at the approaching departure of Marye, Foreign Minister Sazonoff voiced the opinion that the work done by the ambassador toward bringing about more cordial relations between Russia and the United States would bear fruit immediately after the war, when the commercial relations of the two countries would command closer attention.

BURGLARS ENTER HOME.

Mrs. Eliza McLellan, 5655 Grove street, reported to the police that her home was entered in the night and jewelry stolen. The police are investigating. Entrance was gained from the rear.

ARCHITECT TO TALK.

John J. Donovan, city architect, will address the Melrose Heights Parent-Teacher Association tomorrow afternoon at a social meeting to be held at the Melrose High School, Ignacio and Congress streets, at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Myrtle Kalas and Miss Ruth Sherbey will sing Hawaiian songs, accompanying themselves on ukeleles, and refreshments will be served. Mrs. A. L. Kalas will preside.

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Odds and ends from previous season, marked down to these ridiculous low prices for a complete clean-up. Come early. Look for the green tags. Sale starts tomorrow at 9 A. M.

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Doctor Says Nuxated Iron Will Increase Strength of Delicate People 200% in Ten Days

In many instances—Persons have suffered untold agony for years doctoring for nervous weakness, stomach, liver or kidney disease or some other ailment when their real trouble was lack of iron in the blood.—How to tell.

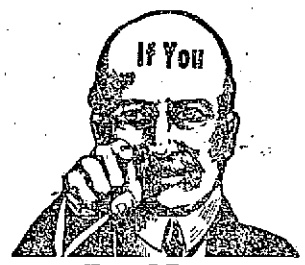
New York, N. Y.—In a recent discourse Dr. E. Sauer, Specialist of this city said: If you were to make an actual blood test on all people who are ill you would probably be greatly astonished at the exceedingly large number who lack iron and who are ill for no other reason than the lack of iron. The moment iron is supplied all their multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. Without iron the blood at once loses the power to change food into living tissue and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. As a result of this continuous blood and nerve starvation, people become generally weakened, nervous and all run down and frequently develop all sorts of conditions. One is too thin; another is burdened with unhealthy fat; some are so weak they can hardly walk; some think they have dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble; some can't sleep at night, others are sleepy and tired all day; some fussy and irritable; some skinny and bloodless, but all lack physical power and endurance. In such cases, it is worse than foolishness to take stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs, which only whip up your fagging vital powers for the moment, maybe at the expense of your life later on. No matter what any one tells you, if you are not strong and well you owe it to yourself to make the following test. See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous rundown people who were ailing all the time double, and even triple their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of their symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form, and this, after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. You can talk as you please about all the wonders wrought by new remedies, but when you come down to hard facts there is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and good sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It is also a great nerve and stomach strengthener and the best blood builder in the world. The only trouble was that the old forms of inorganic iron like tincture of iron, iron acetate, etc., often ruined people's teeth, upset their stomachs and were not assimilated and for these reasons they frequently did more harm than good. But with the discovery of the newer forms of organic iron all this has been overcome. Nuxated Iron for example, is pleasant to take, does not injure the teeth and is almost immediately beneficial.

NOTE—The manufacturers of Nuxated Iron have such unbounded confidence in its potency that they authorize the announcement that they will forfeit $100.00 to any Charitable Institution if they cannot take any man or woman under sixty who lacks iron and increase their strength 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. Also they will refund your money in any case in which Nuxated Iron does not at least double your strength in ten days' time. It can easily be obtained from any good druggist.—Advertisement.

BREAK UP BRONCHIAL COUGHS, CROUP AND COLDS PROMPTLY

Make the Best Remedy at Home—128 Teaspoonsful for 50 Cents.

Don't neglect your first cold, cough or any Bronchial affection, this fall, but commence treatment immediately and through using the proper medicine; it can be checked from the very start and promptly cured, but if neglected probably will hang on all winter; it it does not develop into something more serious, such as Pneumonia or Consumption. True, there are hundreds, yes thousands, of cough remedies on the market. While some are good, there are many which are not, but are positively harmful, due to the narcotics which they contain. But why experiment with these different remedies purely on the strength perhaps of some testimonials or on the exaggerated claims of manufacturers, when Schiffmann's New Concentrated Expectorant is sold by Osgood Brothers on such a positive guarantee to give perfect satisfaction, yes, even more—money will be refunded by them if it is not found the best remedy ever used in Severe Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough or Croup, and it will also be found excellent for Bronchial Asthma and Bronchitis. Besides these druggists guaranteeing "that it will be the best remedy ever used," it will likewise be found the most economical, because one bottle (50 cents' worth) makes a full pint (128 teaspoonsful) of the most excellent medicine for any of the above affections, when mixed at home with one pint of granulated sugar and one-half pint of water. It makes as much, or more, than would cost you $2.00 to $3.00 of almost any of the ordinary ready-made kinds, sold in bottles holding only 24 to 32 teaspoonsful. You will be the sole judge yourself and under the same positively "Money Back" guarantee which the druggists make for the famous Asthmador. Absolutely no risk is run in buying this remedy.—Advertisement.



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Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles if you could believe these hot water enthusiasts.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and the thirty feet of intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body which if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood causing headache, bilious attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleeplessness, impure blood and all sorts of ailments.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. It is vastly more important to bathe on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do.—Advertisement.

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New Sport Coats at $6.75

It's a "Sport" Season. This is not a forecast but a demonstrated fact. This line of Sport Coats deserves your special attention. The models are new and refreshingly varied. Material and pattern choosing is easy—Smart Checks, Striking Plaids, Corduroys and Novelty Cords in Rose and Tan and White Chinchilla. See them by all means.

Dresses at $18.75 For Every Service

A truly fascinating collection of dresses, quite unusual at the price—so much so that we feel justified in urging you to see them at once. You see, many of them are copies of foreign models—a valuable feature. Some are "American-made" and we do not need to apologize for them because of this fact. Proper models for the street, the reception, the dinner and the dance.

The list of materials includes Chiffon, Radium Taffeta, Faille, Crepe Meteor, Georgette Crepe and various novelties. The dominant colors are Antique Rose, Apricot, Quaker Gray, Opal, Turquoise, Royal Flesh and Burnished Hogue.

36-in. Figured Voile 15c yd

A trade-forcing price on a dainty wash fabric. It's a yard wide and perfect in every way. A very timely offer—wash goods time is just beginning.

To be had with white or colored grounds, and dainty color effects in pink, blue and lavender. Dozens and dozens of patterns.

Main Floor.

Guaranteed Hose 15c pr

For Men, Women and Children

A genuine innovation. The first time you've had a chance to buy guaranteed hose at such a price.

Sizes for Women and Children in black, white and tan.

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It's the Triangle Hose—good name to remember.

Main Floor.

Pure Silk Ribbons 15c yd

The most important fact first: They range from 4½ to 6 inches in width. We are mighty lucky to have them to offer at this attractive price. Everything made of silk has recently advanced in price. Plain colors and fancies in the lot—you are sure to find what you want.

Very Special:

Women's Undervests 10c

Splendid Swiss Ribbed Vests—far better than the price indicates. Low neck styles, plain or fancy, and no sleeves. Plenty of all sizes. They'll go out in lots of at least a half dozen. Get your share Friday.

The New Taffetas at $1.25 yd

Have been one of the big attractions of the week. It's a really wonderful lot of Taffeta, two-tone effects, plaids, novelty stripes, Pekin stripes, Dresden Taffeta, etc. We also include plain black Chiffon Taffeta. One look will impress you with the fact that the patterns are just what you are looking for. Silk prices must be advanced when the present stock is exhausted—buy now.

—Main Floor.

McCall Patterns are Popular

They deserve to be because they are right in every detail. Complete new stock at all times.

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PUTS STOMACH IN FINE CONDITION

Says Indigestion Results From an Excess of Hydrochloric Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather, ferments the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that indigestion is caused by Hyper-acidity, meaning, there is an excess of hydro-chloric acid in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts food fermentation. Thus everything eaten sours in the stomach much like garbage sours in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. Then we feel a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest, we belch up gas, we eructate sour food or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and drink while it is effervescing and furthermore, to continue this for a week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results. Advertisement.

Man Was Meant to Be Polygamous, His Social Theory

Man cannot remain faithful to one woman—any more than he can fly. He is not that kind of animal.

This is the view of former chief of police, W. J. Petersen. In his address before the Purity Congress, which he was not permitted to finish there, but which he later finished at the Oakland Commercial Club, he said:

Underlying man's immorality is the great fact that nature intended or designed him as a polygamous animal. Social customs in Christian countries have wisely and properly put polygamy under the ban and inhibited, to a great extent, man's polygamous instincts, but they are not so far under control that they do not drag a large proportion of normal men down to a lower standard than that set for them by society or as a matter of expediency. * * *

You will find it difficult to reform men and women who have been sinning long past the youthful period, but you can do something for the young while they are young. * * *

We have tried prisons, lashes, contempt and banishment, alas too long, in our efforts to control, mitigate and suppress this great social problem. Now let us try love, sympathy, encouragement and helpfulness. Let our love be real, our sympathy without patronage, our encouragement wise and our helpfulness substantial. The results are sure to be lasting and our labors approved by God and man.

Capwell Employes' Assn Install New Officers

At a largely attended meeting last night at the store the employes of the H. C. Capwell Company Association installed new officers for the ensuing year as follows:

President, R. S. Pelletier; vice-president, Miss A. Hamblin; secretary, Miss N. Thomas; trustees, Miss Rose Silva, Messrs. A. H. Santos, M. Cohn, Blum and Dave Herskovits; editor, Mrs. Harriet Shute; assistant editor, Mrs. A. Mitchell.

This association, organized for social and beneficiary purposes, is now in its fourth year and numbers about 500 in its membership.

At the time of organization the firm gave a large cash donation to a sick benefit fund, which has been augmented by dues and been the means of giving much substantial aid to the employes at times of sickness.

The organization gives social functions from time to time, publishes a very bright and helpful store paper and co-operates with the firm in promoting the welfare of the business.

Progress, the Capwell store paper, under the editorship of Mr. J. B. Burt, has become one of the best store papers published in the country, and has received flattering recognition from the big stores of the East which publish similar papers. It is expected that the new editor will maintain the present high standing of this helpful store organ.

Capwell's is among the first of the big merchandising firms of the country to take out life insurance for its employes. This was done several years ago, and the amount is gradually increased for each employe according to the number of years of service with the firm.

Good system and close co-operation between the firm and its employes has made the Capwell organization very efficient and progressive in its methods.

PAPER PROHIBITED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The American consul general at Copenhagen reported today to the state department that the Danish government had prohibited the exportation of wood pulp and heavy paper.

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PETERSEN SEPARATION SHOCK TO WHOLE CITY

Divorcee Named as Captain's Frequent Guest in Wife's Complaint

(Continued From Page 1)

on me about this?" demanded Woods.

"No, but she did," he was told. "What did you tell her?"

"I have nothing to say," said the chief.

"Did you advise her about the matter, or suggest that she send her attorney to Commissioner Jackson with the information?"

"I have nothing to say," said the chief.

"Have Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Petersen talked this matter over?"

"I am not talking," said Woods, and closed the interview abruptly.

NO EFFECT; JACKSON.

Dr. Jackson said that so far as he was concerned the situation would have no effect upon Petersen's position as a member of the department. Further than that, he refused to discuss the matter.

Captain Petersen is one of the most widely known police and criminal authorities in the United States, and a leading exponent of the segregated district as against the red light abatement act. His wife, Mrs. Florence V. Petersen, in her suit for separate maintenance, names Mrs. Meta K. Makins, a divorcee, as the other woman in the case.

The alleged intrusion of Mrs. Makins into the private life of the Petersen household during the last two years and her appearance in public with the former chief of police on frequent and recent occasions, are the burden of the wife's complaint. Marked preference for the other woman shown by her husband has forced upon her a humiliation which she can no longer endure, Mrs. Petersen formally alleges. Hence the recourse to the courts.

The Petersens were married in Oakland twenty-eight years ago and have three sons, Ulrick, 25 years, who is a member of the Oakland police force; Cedric, 23 years, a practicing attorney, and Paul, 8 years of age, whose custody the mother asks. Mrs. Petersen also demands $100 a month for support and her share in community property said to be valued at $10,000.

DIVORCE SUIT WITNESS.

When Mrs. Makins obtained her divorce from Joseph H. Makins, a local insurance man, in 1913, Captain Petersen was her principal witness in substantiating her charges of cruelty. He testified that he had been called into the Makins home several times to quiet the husband when he was abusing his wife. He characterized Mrs. Makins as a "sensitive, refined woman, whose home was always charming."

"I don't see how it could help it," he said in expressing an opinion that the abuse alleged on the part of her husband had inflicted "mental suffering" upon Mrs. Makins.

Before the International Purity Congress, in convention in San Francisco last July, Captain Petersen, in an address which was interrupted before he had finished, said in part:

"Underlying man's immorality is the great fact that Nature intended or designed him as a polygamous animal. Social customs in Christian countries have wisely and properly put polygamy under the ban and inhibited, to a great extent, man's polygamous instincts, but they are not so far under control that they do not drag a large proportion of normal men down to a lower standard than that set for them by society or as a matter of expediency.

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Captain Petersen lives at 423 Athol avenue. His wife in her pleadings asks the court to restrain him from living with her or visiting the home during the action.

Among the charges in Mrs. Petersen's complaint are these:

That during the New Year's celebration, January 1, 1916, Mrs. Makins sat in Captain Petersen's lap in public at the Hotel Oakland and then publicly kissed each other, refusing to pay any attention to Mrs. Petersen.

That on July 19, 1915, around 9 p. m., while passing Mrs. Makin's home, Mrs. Petersen heard Captain Petersen and Mrs. Makins kissing, and that when Mrs. Petersen rang the front door bell Mrs. Makins appeared clad in a bath robe, while the Captain was making his escape by a side entrance.

That Captain Petersen secured for Mrs. Makins the position of a cloak and suit saleswoman with an Oakland department store while she was suing her husband for divorce, and that they were frequently seen in each other's company in cafes.

That Mrs. Makins was a frequent visitor to the home of the Petersens, and that Captain Petersen's attentions to her were so intimate that they humiliated and embarrassed Mrs. Petersen.

That Mrs. Makins and Captain Petersen arrived at the Petersen home early on the evening of May 28, 1914, and that Captain Petersen requested Lilly Bennett, an acquaintance, to leave, saying he and Mrs. Makins wished to have the house to themselves.

A KISSING SCENE.

That on July 19, 1915, around 9 p. m., Mrs. Petersen, while passing Mrs. Makins' home, heard Captain Petersen and Mrs. Makins kissing, and that when Mrs. Petersen rang the front door bell Mrs. Makins appeared clad in a bath robe, while the Captain was making his escape by a side entrance.

That Captain Petersen and Mrs. Makins went on numerous automobile rides, and that the Captain would not accede to the requests of Mrs. Petersen that he relinquish his attentions to the divorcee, to whose home he had his mail addressed.

That during the New Year's celebration, on January 1, 1916, Mrs. Makins sat in Captain Petersen's lap in public at the Hotel Oakland and they publicly kissed each other, refusing to pay any attention to Mrs. Petersen.

That Captain Petersen took Mrs. Makins to the Ad-Masque Ball at the Oakland Municipal Auditorium on February 14, 1916, and occupied one of the boxes with her, refusing to invite Mrs. Petersen.

The complaint covers six pages.

Mrs. Petersen further alleges acts of cruelty by her husband during the period of his intimacy with Mrs. Makins, and alleges that often she was forced to request her husband to desist from his attentions to Mrs. Makins, after being embarrassed by their actions.

"During the evening of the 28th of May, 1914," the complaint continues, "plaintiff returned to her home unexpectedly from a lodge in Oakland and found defendant, said Mrs. Makins, alone in plaintiff's home. * * *

"That again on July 22, 1914, while plaintiff was still absent on her vacation, defendant took Mrs. Makins to plaintiff's home and that Mrs. Makins cooked dinner for defendant, and the two were in the house for several hours' time, with only plaintiff's minor son, Paul who was in bed. * *

WINE FOR DINNER.

"Plaintiff further alleges that upon her information and belief for nearly a year past defendant has been in the habit of, and has caused mail to be addressed to him at the home of said Mrs. Makins; that he supplied wine at his expense for dinner on Christmas Day, 1915, at the home of Mrs. Makins.

"Plaintiff further alleges upon her information and belief that on January 1, 1916, at the hour of about 1 o'clock a. m., at the Hotel Oakland, defendant permitted Mrs. Makins to sit upon his lap in one of the public rooms of said hotel, and that he, the defendant, and Mrs. Makins, on said occasion publicly kissed each other; that plaintiff entered said hotel early on said night and saw defendant and Mrs. Makins occupying adjoining tables; that on said night defendant treated plaintiff with such contempt and indifference that plaintiff was, in self-respect, compelled to go to her home alone; that said contempt and indifference on the part of defendant consisted in defendant's neglect and refusal to either speak to or notice plaintiff or to invite her to occupy his table with him. * * *

"That again, on Christmas Day, 1914, defendant, against plaintiff's wish, urged plaintiff to invite Mrs. Makins to plaintiff's home for dinner; that on said day, as plaintiff is informed and believes, and therefore alleges, defendant and Mrs. Makins kissed each other in the presence of Lilly Bennett while plaintiff was in another room of the house.

"Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant on the evening of February 14, 1916, took and accompanied Mrs. Makins to the Ad-Masque ball at the Oakland Municipal Auditorium and occupied one of the public boxes with her at said ball; that he did not invite the plaintiff to attend the ball with him.

"Plaintiff further alleges that on the 18th day of September, 1915, defendant cruelly and wrongfully stated to plaintiff that he would not live with her and that were it not for their minor son, Paul, he would have left her long prior to that time."

Mrs. Petersen asks for $100 a month and counsel fees pending the outcome of the suit. She also asks that Captain Petersen be restrained and enjoined from living with her and that the court set aside the community property to her until the decree in the proceedings is entered.

The suit was filed last night, the attorney in the case having called up Walter E. Adams, filing clerk, after hours and asked him to go to the hall of records. Deputy Clerk Adams thought that the request meant the issuance of a marriage license and upon discovering the nature of the matter returned to his belated dinner a trifle out of sorts.

ITALIANS DEFEATED.

IENNA, Feb. 17.—An Austrian official statement issued under date of February 16 announces that the eighth attack by Italian outposts on the Austro-Hungarian positions on Javerelck was repulsed. The statement adds that the ground in front of the new Austrian positions in the Rombon district ies covered with Italian dead.

NEW STRENGTH FOR LAME BACKS AND WORN-OUT CONDITIONS

Dear Mr. Editor: I suffered from lame back and a tired, worn-out feeling. Was unable to stand erect and scarcely able to get around. It would usually come on at first with crick in small of my back. I took one box of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets and my back commenced to get better soon after starting to take them. I did not have to walk doubled over, as I did before using the "Anuric." It is the best remedy I have ever taken for what it is intended to relieve. I hope those who are in need of such a remedy will give these Tablets of Dr. Pierce's a trial. Yours truly,

A. G. DRAKE.

Note—When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizzy spells, or the twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout. The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment; channels often get sore and sleep is disturbed two or three times a night. This is the time you should consult some physician of wide experience—such as Dr. Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Send him 10 cents for large trial package of his new discovery—"Anuric." Write him your symptoms and send a sample of urine for test. Experience has taught Dr. Pierce that "Anuric" is the most powerful agent in dissolving uric acid, as hot water melts sugar. Being so many times more active than lithia, it clears the heart valves of any sandy substances which may clog them and checks the degeneration of the blood vessels, as well as regulating blood pressure. "Anuric" is a regular insurance and life saver for all big meat eaters and those who deposit lime salts in their joints. Ask the druggist for "Anuric" put up by Dr. Pierce in 50-cent packages.—Advertisement.

MEXICAN PLOT IS CHARGED TO CONSUL

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is what De Negri declares in summing up his allegations:

DID NOT MOVE FOOD.

"All the leading cities in the republic, on Red Cross authority, were scenes of suffering and starvation, and, worst of all, was Mexico City, where people were said to be dying from hunger like flies.

"There was a carload of Red Cross food at Vera Cruz when O'Connor arrived there, but he refused to do anything with it or carry it with him to the city, although there was no obstacle in the way of his doing so.

"The Red Cross did not send any food to Vera Cruz in order to ascertain if it could be forwarded to the city.

"But the starving in the city needed immediate relief. So Mr. O'Connor set about giving it in real bureaucratic, red tape style.

"It required 36 days to accomplish these preliminaries—36 days when people were reported by the Red Cross in Washington to be dying by the scores in the streets, from 25 to 135 deaths daily from starvation being the statements made abroad.

"But no one who had not been properly card indexed could get any of it. And if one with a card did not fancy the stuff, but traded it off to another who was willing to take a chance, both became anathema and were cast into the outer darkness of the hungry.

"This continued for a little over a month, and all this time desperate efforts were made through the press of the United States and at Washington to persuade the American people and the government that it was necessary in the interests of common humanity to send food to Mexico City—always, however, accompanied by armed force."

Bonsal is attacked in another part of the report, in which De Negri says that he, Bonsal, attempted to stir up trouble in Washington because of an anonymous circular issued in Vera Cruz declaring that Red Cross aid was not needed in that city. This circular, De Negri says, was suppressed by the Carranza government; yet, according to the Mexican official, Bonsal told the United States authorities that the Carrancistas were not sincere in their statements that they would assist the American Red Cross in its work of relief.

With regard to the charges against Canada, De Negri says:

"There were thirty tons, 60,000 pounds, of this food, sent here by the Red Cross and consigned to American Consul Canada, to be used to relieve the sufferings of the poor in this city, it having been declared with great positiveness in the United States that famine prevailed here to such an extent that food riots were expected at any time.

"When Mr. J. J. O'Connor, the special representative referred to, arrived, he said he had no authority to handle these supplies, his sole duty being to go to Mexico City, investigate conditions there, and report to the parent society in Washington.

"So the food WAS NOT DISTRIBUTED AND IT LIES AT THIS WRITING IN THE AMERICAN CONSULATE, though Washington had been told that starvation existed in this city.

"These statements can be verified by Consul Canada and by Special Representative Silliman, who have full cognizance of the matter."

TURKS WIN AND BRITISH LOSE 2000

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 17.—The losses of one of the British expeditions in Mesopotamia in a battle with the Turks, near Batiha, west of Korna, amounted to 2000 officers and men, according to an official announcement given out by the Turkish war department under date of February 16.

The statement also says that the Russians lost 5000 men in killed in a three-day battle on the Caucasian front.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 17.—The official Messenger estimates the Turkish garrison at Erzerum, capture of which was announced yesterday, at 100,000 men. It is also estimated that more than 1000 guns were captured.

CAPTURE OF ERZERUM OF VAST IMPORTANCE

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Capture of the great Turkish stronghold of Erzerum by the Russians is declared by the French newspapers this morning as the best item of news for the allies in many months. The military experts dwell upon the importance of the capture, declaring that it gives the Russians the key to Asia Minor and is a victory which will inevitably have far-reaching consequences.

General Berthaut in the Petit Journal says it is not only a deadly blow to Turkey, but an event which cannot fail to have its effect on the other theaters of the war. Major de Civrieux says in the Matin:

"The conquest of Erzerum is of more importance than would be that of any other fortress in the whole war theater. In Asia we are now faced by a strategic chess board, ruled across by railroads and excellent routes along which fresh forces could be brought up in a few days. Erzerum was the solitary bulwark of the Turkish empire in Asia. Open spaces suitable for operations on a great scale now present themselves to the forces of Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia."

County Accepts Lease for Exhibit Building

Offered a straight lease of a year, instead of the former proposed lease, providing for a possible vacation of the premises should they be said, the Board of Supervisors today decided to accept the old Chamber of Commerce building, to be used as a county manufacturing exhibit under the management of the Alameda county exposition commission.

The original lease provided that should the Chamber of Commerce Building association desire to sell, the exhibit could be ousted on sixty days' notice. Chairman D. J. Murphy refused to sign the lease under such circumstances.

The dispute between the Structural Iron Workers and the supervisors over an inspector of iron work, desired for the building, was laid over until next Monday, when a final decision will be made. The board decided to substitute a new style of swinging window for the old style, which had been placed on the county infirmary plans.

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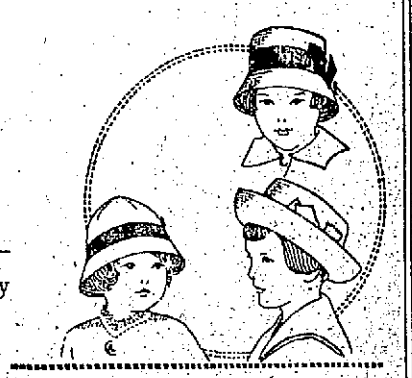

WASH SUIT OPENING

Saturday sees the opening of our Children's Wash Suit Season—An Abundance of color combinations—Junior "ETON" with box pleats and Eton Collars. Others with Sailor Collars and Patch Pockets—A splendid showing in all sizes from 2½ to 8 years; at $3.50, $2.45, and very special values at $1.95

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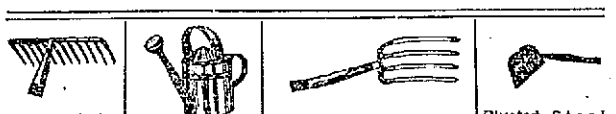

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SCORES LOCK-STEP IN PUBLIC SCHOOL

As Bad as in Prisons, Is Criticism of State Normal Principal.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—"As in prisons, so in the schools, all are linked in solid lockstep, the genius and the imbecile, the strong and the weak, the artist and the artisan, the eagle's nestling and the buzzard's brood, the quick and the still born."

Thus Dr. Frederic Burk, principal of the San Francisco State Normal School, summed up his criticism of the present public school system in an address before the Twentieth Century Club. Men in the making are in the schools, he declared, and yet the schools, like the prisons, take no cognizance of the fact.

"Small wonder it is," Dr. Burk continued, "that we follow the long line of misfits in life. Many seem to fall again into that other lockstep line, in stripes of gray and white, over echoing flagstones in ignominious equality. We have the mental lockstep in our schools handed down by tradition from ages when humanity did not think."

Dr. Burk advised the individual instruction of children as against the set routine of grade work. He continued:

"Under such a system the slowest pupil of normal mind will make progress faster than the class rate. There will be no laggards."

Miss Maude J. Murchie, director of household arts in the San Jose State Normal School, made a plea for the art of homemaking. She said:

"One out of every twelve marriages in the United States ends in divorce because women have not become adjusted by learning to solve the problems of home life."

Third Death From Train Accident

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — Injuries which she received on a Southern Pacific train in a collision in early January with an automobile, the two Japanese occupants of which were killed, resulted yesterday in the death at her home in Albany of Mrs. Marie Locke, prominent in club work and civic affairs in that place. Mrs. Locke suffered severe internal injuries at the time of the accident, which occurred on Solano avenue at The Alameda.

Mrs. Locke was president of the Albany Mothers' Club, as well as of the Albany Improvement Club, which she was instrumental in founding. During the Spanish-American war she served as a volunteer Red Cross nurse. She was 54 years of age, a native of Germany, and had lived four years in Albany. Five children survive her. Funeral services were held from her home this morning, followed by interment at Sunset View cemetery.

Announce Engagement of Miss Clara James

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — Mr. and Mrs. Albert O. James of 1420 Grand street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Clara James, to George Rumford, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rumford, of Oakland.

The announcement was made with betrothal cards attached to the favors at each place plate at the supper which followed the dancing.

The wedding will take place some time in June, and will be solemnized at the First Congregational church, where Miss James is a member of the vested choir. The bride-to-be is a graduate of the local high school. Her fiance is connected with the Morton Jewelry company in Oakland.

The decorations for the evening were in red and green, carnations and maiden hair fern being used for the table at the supper.

Debaters of High Schools Will Clash

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.— The semi-final contests in the series conducted by the University Extension Division to determine the high school debating championship of California will be held Friday, February 18. The schools to participate are:

Northern Division—The Oroville and Lodi union high schools, the Lincoln Evening High school of Berkeley, and the Healdsburg and Santa Cruz high schools.

Southern Division—The Coalinga and the Reedley union high schools, the Laton Joint Union High school, the Manual Arts High school of Los Angeles, the Citrus High school of Azusa, and the San Bernardino High school.

"Woman Suffrage" and "The Tariff" are the subjects to be discussed.

Chinese Arrested for Passing Bogus Check

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—The first Chinese to be arrested in Alameda, and one of the first to be arrested in the United States, on a bad check charge, was taken into custody yesterday when Chin Lin Gow, a student, was arrested on a charge of passing worthless paper to the total of $850. The Chinese is being held at the city prison for want of bail, and an investigation is being made.

Gow, who lives at 2835 Lincoln avenue, did not explain the circumstances of the checks. According to the police, passing fictitious checks is a crime almost unknown among the Chinese.

TELLS OF STAR BIRTH PUZZLE.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — Director W. W. Campbell of Lick Observatory of the University of California, has recently completed the publication in the Scientific Monthly of a notable series of four papers on "The Evolution of the Stars and the Formation of the Earth." He tells of the great achievements scored of late by the astronomers, but frankly admits how far from solution are some of the most fundamental puzzles as to the birth and growth of the universe.

CHANNING CLUB RECITAL.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — At the recital of the Channing Club of the University of California at 8:10 p. m. Friday, February 18, Organist Harvey Loy will play the following program: "Communion in E. Minor," Batiste; "Andante," Alkan; "Fruhlings Rauschen," sinding; "Die Traurige Jahreszeit," Albanesi, and "Andante Grazioso," Mozart. The public will be welcome.

EMERSON HIS THEME.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — In a series of lectures at the Pacific Theological Seminary, open to the public, Charles J. Woodbury will speak at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon on Ralph Waldo Emerson, who numbered Woodbury among his intimates. The lecture falls in a series on "Philosophy as Related to Religious Thought."

EAGLES TO MEET.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — Alameda Aerie of Eagles will meet this evening in regular session, to which all members are urged to attend. Following the business session a social hour will be enjoyed.

CHURCH SOCIETY TO MEET.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — The Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will hold an all-day meeting tomorrow in the church. The session will open at 11 a. m. and will continue through the afternoon, with luncheon at 12:30 o'clock.

MUCH APPENDICITIS IN OAKLAND

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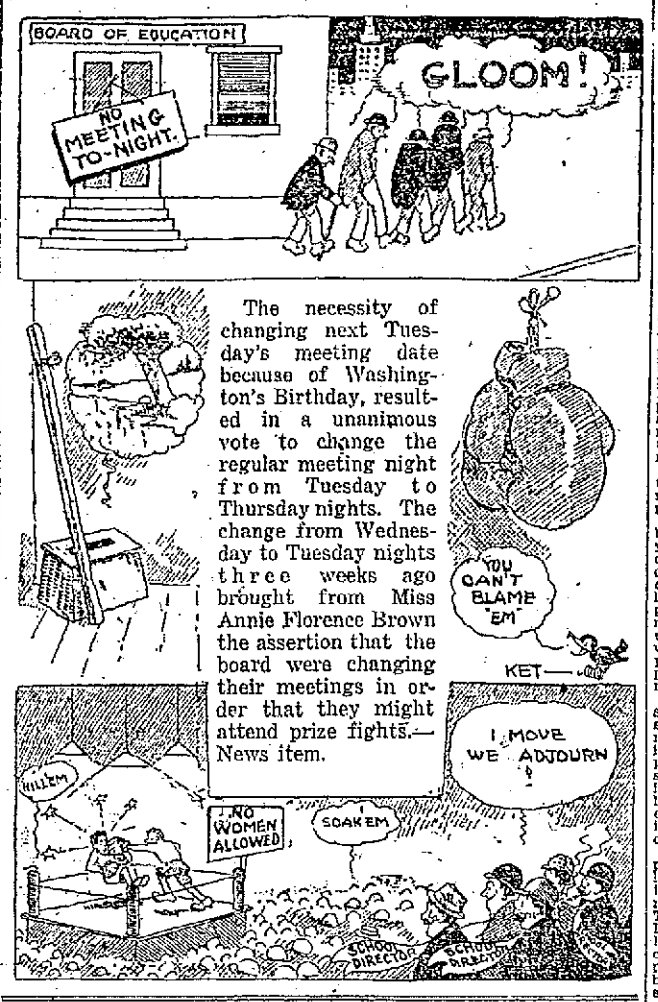

The necessity of changing next Tuesday's meeting date because of Washington's Birthday, resulted in a unanimous vote to change the regular meeting night from Tuesday to Thursday nights. The change from Wednesday to Tuesday nights three weeks ago brought from Miss Annie Florence Brown the assertion that the board were changing their meetings in order that they might attend prize fights.—News item.

Teachers Hear Story of Kindergarten Work

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — The meeting of the Lincoln School Parent-Teachers' association, Tuesday, was one full of interest to teacher and parent alike, and consisted of talks by Hugh Miller of the educational department of the Y. M. C. A. in Oakland, and Mrs. Robert Porter on kindergarten work. The first speaker told of the work of the department and how it started, as well as what it did that was not done in the public schools, through the necessity of having special teachers trained for the work.

Mrs. Robert Porter gave a short history of the kindergarten, from its inception in San Francisco. Mrs. Porter sang the songs which were written by her mother, Mrs. Alexander Roberts, and sister, Miss Bertha Roberts, and with the teachers, the Misses Maud Murphy, Louise Thompson, Elizabeth Stockwell and Florence Bradley played the games, illustrating the work of the kindergarten.

Mrs. Alexander Roberts was a teacher in the Golden Gate kindergarten with Kate Douglas Wiggin, and there had the experience through which she originated the little songs which are now used in the work. Mrs. W. G. Wendland presided at the sessions and there was a large attendance of the parents.

Dr. Merrill Will Speak Before Club

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — Professor William A. Merrill, head of the department of Latin at the University of California, will be the guest of the members of the Newman Club of the University at an informal entertainment in Newman Hall on Friday evening, February 18. During the evening Dr. Merrill will deliver an address to the club members. A musical program is being arranged by Miss Helen Zelt, chairman of the music committee.

The social committee of the club will be aided in the evening's entertainment by the Misses Alma Baum, Anna Brake, Barbara Burke, Loretta Ross and Messrs. F. N. Aylward, L. R. Byington, H. A. Godde, J. E. Harbinson, Howard Hatton, Richard Lauxen, W. P. J. Lynch, H. G. Oliver, John O'Melveny, Henry Ruffo and J. B. Winston. Music and other appropriate features of entertainment are being arranged. Refreshments will be served by a committee headed by Miss Helen Schieck.

Lecture Is Planned by School Women

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — The Board of Education has granted the use of the Haight school auditorium to the School Women's club for a lecture to be given Friday evening.

The same auditorium has been granted the Haight School Mothers' club for a dance, to be given February 25.

The McKinley Park Middy club will hold an entertainment at the Haight auditorium the evening of March 17, the proceeds to be given to the athletic fund of the California Girls' Training Home. The board granted the auditorium for this purpose.

The directors also granted the use of school buildings for the freeholders' election, which is to be held May 23.

Alameda to Help in "Noc-No-Mor" Festival

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — Owing to the change in time of the arrival of the Noc-No-Mor hammer, Alameda has been invited to take part in Oakland's celebration of the burial of the hammer. It is imperative that the hammer leaves Oakland at 11:45, in order to make connections with the steamship Bear, which steamer will convey the remains to deep water and buried with appropriate ceremonies.

Under this new schedule, it would be necessary for Alameda to start its parade about 8:30. After due consideration of the change in time, the Alameda committee, urges intending participants to join in Oakland's parade, where they will be given a prominent place in the line of march.

Humorist to Speak at Alameda Club

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — Seumas McManus, Irish humorist, author and playwright, is the attraction which the School Woman's club has secured for two recitals on Friday next, afternoon and evening, at the Haight school auditorium. The club decided that as there were many of the old tales, folk lore and fairy tales, which the famous writer, will give, to have a matinee for the children of this city.

TO TELL OF THRIFT.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Knox Presbyterian church will hold an "earn a dollar" meeting Friday at which the members will tell the devious ways by which they have secured 100 cents to add to the church fund. Tables will be arranged for different authors. Little Miss Peggy Carlton will impersonate Martha Washington.

WILL READ GREEK DRAMA.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — To show the wonderful results in beauty and splendor possible when the genius of a great modern English poet is devoted to the translation of a masterpiece of Greek drama, Professor James T. Allen of the University of California will give an interpretative reading of the "Cyclops" of Euripides, in the Shelley translation, at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, February 18, in 8 North Hall. The public will be welcome.

Simple Pleasures Urged for Children

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Simple and not complex pleasures are best for children, such as a backyard where "one can watch the radishes grow," according to what Mrs. May Cheney, appointment secretary of the University of California, told the Young Married People's Club of the Trinity Methodist Church at their meeting this week. Mrs. Cheney added:

"When children have as many formal engagements as grown-ups, are perfectly sophisticated at 5 and at 12 find nothing left in life, I wonder what kind of adults they will make. Children are satisfied with simple things, if they are not caught up by the maddening speeding-up of city life. Visits to moving picture shows and amusement parks should be made big events in the child's life."

Oppose Warriors' Names in History

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Abolition from the histories of the names of many men who have been famous merely as warriors is the plea of Miss Adelaide Smith, principal of the Wellesley school of this city. She expressed it at a meeting this week of the Berkeley branch of the Women's Peace Party.

"We should be dealt with in the schools in a general way," said Miss Smith, "and the names of many of the men who have come down in history should be stricken out. Only the evils of war should be taught and the vast destruction which war leaves in its wake. The men who should be honored are those who have seized the exigencies of war and turned them into opportunities to benefit the world."

NOT TO COMPENSATE HIM.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Because he was employed by the janitor of the Franklin school, where a fall resulted in his paralysis and not by the city educational department, John Sabini, a window cleaner, will receive no compensation under the employers' liability act. This opinion has been transmitted to the school board by E. R. Welch, superintendent of the claims department.

JOHN A. PATTON DIES.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—John A. Patton, a resident of Berkeley for fourteen years, died yesterday at his home at 2516 Ashby avenue after a long illness induced by an accident. He was a native of Tennessee, 66 years of age and a son of the late Colonel S. K. N. Patton, a civil war soldier. He is survived by a widow and three children, who formerly resided with him in Willows.

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JOURNALISM TALK HEARD BY STUDENTS

John McNaught Distinguishes in Address Between Fields of Work.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — Discrimination between newspapers and journalism was urged upon his hearers in a lecture last evening at California Hall by John McNaught, well known newspaperman. He declared that newspapers were property, subject to the demands put upon all property to pay returns, while journalism was knowledge, not property.

He frankly pointed out what he believed to be shortcomings of the system by which journalism is forced to employ newspapers as its means of circulation. He urged a raising of the standards of professional ethics among newspapermen and journalists as an advisable cure rather than the suggestions which amateurs to both had at various times put forward.

The lecture was one of a series of three, the last of which will be given next Wednesday evening at the same place. In substance, Mr. McNaught said:

"Journalism and the newspaper have been so closely associated for so many years that in the popular mind they are confused together and are spoken of as one and the same thing. They are, however, essentially different in nature and have divergent purposes. A newspaper is property and is subject to all the commercial forces that affect property values. It must conform to the laws by which these forces operate or it will perish. Journalism is knowledge, not property, and is not subject to commercial laws.

"Journalism seeks an audience with sympathies broad enough to be responsive to matters of public importance, and minds alert enough to take an interest in new movements and ideas. The newspaper, desirous to give the widest possible publicity to advertising, by which it is supported, seeks a continually enlarging audience, regardless of the kind of appeal that must be made to gain it and to hold it. Hence a continuous conflict between the two.

"Journalism makes use of a newspaper as a medium of informing the public concerning current events, because it is at once the most economic and the most efficient, available in our time. The newspaper has three advantages. First, it provides journalism with a larger circulation, a more regular circulation, a cheaper circulation, and a prompter circulation, than could be given by a sheet that did not carry advertising sufficient to pay the cost of collecting and publishing news.

Second, out of the abundance of its capital and its revenues from advertising, the newspaper provides journalists with the means of obtaining news that could not be obtained without such means. Third, by its necessary appeal to all classes of readers, the newspaper compels journalism to interest itself in the poor, in the weak, and in the ignorant; and thereby to serve to redress little wrongs and little evils, not noted by society at large, but which to many poor people are matters of great moment.

"Owing to the mutual advantages given and received on both sides, journalism must continue to work with and through the advertising sheet of the day; but they should work on equal terms. The subordination of important news to sensational or silly circulation features cannot be otherwise than injurious to the honest advertiser even though it bring a large circulation; for the class of readers attracted by that kind of reading are not purchasers of high class goods nor patrons of high class merchants. There should then be, from newspaper proprietors who seek none but clean advertising, encouragement and assistance to any movement that tends to tolerate none but clean journalism."

TAU BETA PI ELECTS.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — Announcement is made today of the election of 19 new members, of whom two are faculty men, to the Tau Beta Pi engineering honor society at the University of California. The society widened its field this year by opening its membership to architectural students. Professor John Galen Howard, dean of architecture, and Professor E. A. Hersam of the college of mining are the faculty men admitted.

Move Law Frat to Berkeley Base

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Jackson Temple chapter, Phi Alpha Delta fraternity, has been formally installed on the University of California campus here. For seven years it has existed at the Hastings College of the Law in San Francisco. Owing to the fact that the University in 1909 did not have any law school on this side of the bay, the charter did not permit the fraternity to take here.

An initiation and banquet were held last evening at the Fairmount Hotel. The speaker of the evening was Chief Justice Frank P. Angellotti of the state supreme court. The following are among the initiates:

C. G. Douglas, G. W. Worthen, J. B. Oliver, H. M. Metcalf, C. V. Taylor, S. P. Walton, C. M. Fryer, R. L. Kellas, O. C. Farkinson, C. C. Camp, M. B. Curtis, A. W. Davis, P. L. Fussell, H. E. Hall, L. N. Hamilton, E. A. Hawkins, J. C. Howard, R. H. Linforth, W. C. McIntosh, P. A. Mills, V. E. Simpson, S. G. Smith, M. W. Vedder and C. B. Whitney.

STUDENT STORE PROSPERS.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—The financial report of the co-operative store on the University of California campus has just been filed with the Associated Students and shows a surplus of $55,713, with total assets of $79,440. The store has occupied quarters in North Hall basement for 31 years and in the past ten years has increased its profits from $9,979 to $27,698. A branch of the store at the Davis farm school is in contemplation.

QUINTET TO PLAY AGAIN.

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — The San Francisco Quintet Club, which appeared in concert this week at the University of California, will play a 8:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Berkeley High school. The recital is one of a series for young people, arranged under the direction of William Edwin Chamberlain.

TO TALK ON MUSIC.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Tomorrow afternoon the household art section of the Adelphian Club will listen to a talk on "Music in the Home" by Mrs. Herbert Lee of Oakland. Mrs. G. Alexander Wright will preside at the section.

Feed People for $1.50 Per Month

Stanford Prof. Tells of Marvels of Belgium

BERKELEY, Feb. 17. — Where is the person in the United States who can live on $1.50 per month. Echo gives no reply, but back from Belgium with Professor Vernon L. Kellog of Stanford university comes the word that this remarkable economy has been achieved there among the war sufferers.

Professor Kellogg has just returned after almost a year of relief work in Europe with the American commission, the latter part of the time as assistant director for the distribution of relief. From personal sharing in these undertakings he has a story to tell. American efficiency has broken all records in the way of charitable work by feeding people at an average cost of $1.50 per month and by distributing relief funds in Belgium at a cost for administration and overhead expenses of only seventy cents out of every $100 contributed.

At the students' meeting at Harmon gymnasium, Friday morning, at 11 o'clock, Professor Kellogg is to tell the means by which these marvels were accomplished. Another speaker is to be Paul L. Fussell, senior student in law, who is just back from his journey to The Hague with the Ford peace expedition. President Wheeler will preside.

TO ASSIST ASSESSOR.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — City Assessor P. J. Croll announced today that he had appointed Frank Heaney as deputy assessor during the preparation of the rolls for the new year. Heaney is a well known resident of the western section of the city and was formerly a deputy county clerk.

NATIVE SONS MEETING.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — Haleyon Parlor of Native Sons will meet this evening in Native Sons' hall in Park street. Candidates will be initiated by the newly installed officers.

INCENDIARY FIRE THREATENS HALL

Fire Chief Starts Investigation to Determine Cause of of Flames.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17.—Flames believed to have been of incendiary origin last evening partly destroyed Central Hall, the former Methodist church, on Central avenue, near Park street. The firemen confined the fire to two rooms in the building and the damage was not large.

An alarm was turned in from Box 74, about 6:30 o'clock. The fire had gained considerable headway and the firemen had a difficult time in confining the flames to the structure, which is of wood.

Fire Chief Walter Steinmetz gave it as his opinion that some one started the fire, he having found burned bits of kindling in the rooms where the blaze originated. An investigation is now being conducted.

TO INSTALL OFFICERS.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — The Alameda Improvement Club will install officers at the clubhouse in Webster street, near Haight avenue. The mayor and members of the city council have been invited to attend, as matters of current interest to the city will be discussed.

NON-PARTISAN MEETING.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 17. — The East Alameda Non-Partisan club will meet this evening at 3245 Liberty street. The coming freeholders election will be discussed. All members are urgently requested to be present.

Final Clean-Up of Odds and Ends

Suits Coats Dresses $5

Values Supreme, Good Styles, Excellent Fabrics, Superior Workmanship, at a Price, Tomorrow, That Does Not Begin to Pay for Materials Alone

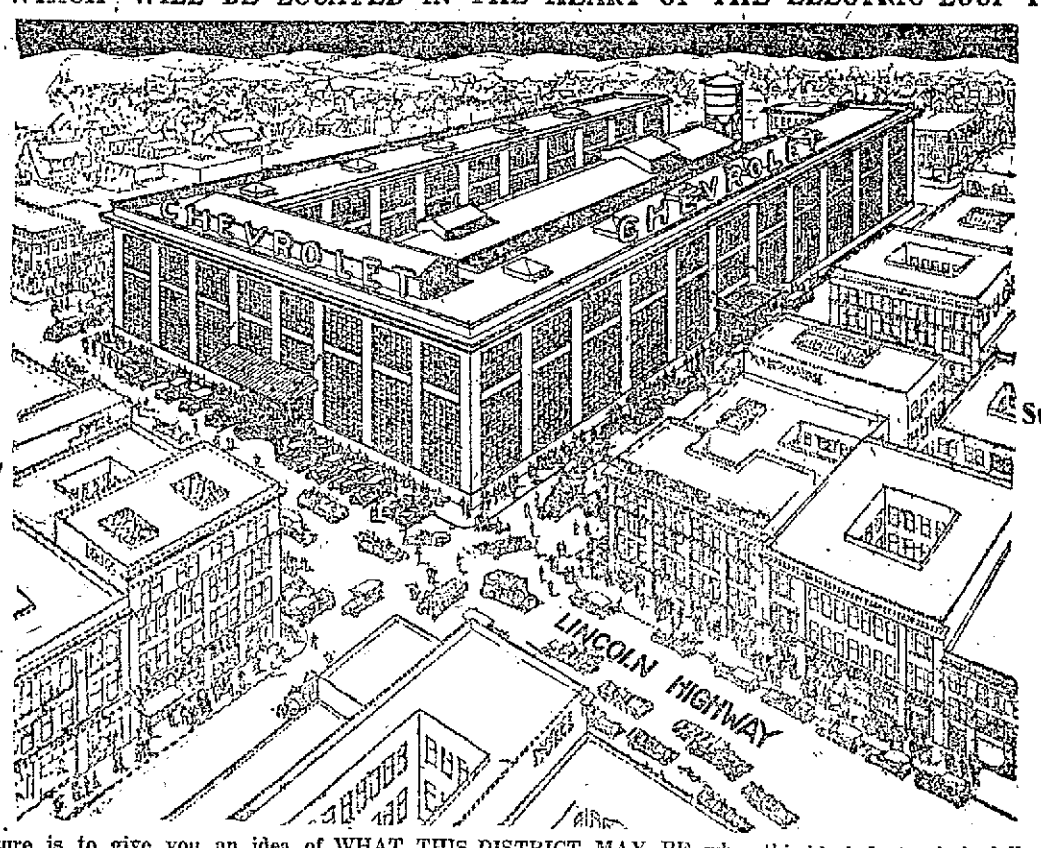
ONLY 29 OF THE SUITS—Mixtures and Wool Poplins.
ONLY 38 OF THE COATS—Mixtures, Novelty Plaids.
ONLY 32 OF THE DRESSES—Serges and Silk Poplins.

568-572 14th Street **Fogarty** Near Clay

In a few days

The $80,000,000 Chevrolet Automobile Co. start work on their big million dollar Oakland plant, WHICH WILL BE LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE ELECTRIC LOOP TRACT.

Don't Wait Come Sunday



Come Sunday Don't Wait

This picture is to give you an idea of WHAT THIS DISTRICT MAY BE when this big industry is in full operation

Right now you can have possession of a choice building lot adjoining the location of this Great Industry. A small payment down and as little as $5 a month pays for it.

When in operation, hundreds of skilled workmen will be employed here. These men and their families must have homes.

There must be hotels, rooming houses, flats, apartments, cottages or bungalows, for them to live in.

There must be grocery, dry goods, drug stores, butcher shops and restaurants to supply these people.

These buildings should be adjoining the plant. Come Sunday and make your selection. There will be representatives at Ferry Building to give you free excursion tickets. Take Oakland pier boat and Melrose train direct.

GET A CHOICE LOT NOW BEFORE THE PRICES GO UP, UP, UP

It is only a matter of days now till building activity begins. INVESTIGATE AT ONCE.

Call at either office, telephone or mail the Coupon for full information.

E. J. HENDERSON

301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311 First National Bank Building, Oakland.
Phone Oakland 411.
Or Entire Second Floor, 24 Montgomery Street, San Francisco. Phone Sutter 2021.

E. J. HENDERSON:
Kindly send me full information regarding building lots adjoining the Chevrolet Automobile Co. plant.

Name .....

Address .....

City .....

MILLION STOMACH SUFFERERS EAT BIG MEALS NOW

No Fear of Indigestion, Gas, Sourness, Heartburn or Acidity.

"Pape's Diapepsin" Is Quickest, Surest Stomach Regulator Known.

Every year regularly more than a million stomach sufferers in the United States, England and Canada take Pape's Diapepsin and realize not only immediate but lasting relief.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour; gassy or out-of-order stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Get from your pharmacist a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and eat a few of these candy-like tablets just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, no fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, no nausea, debilitating headaches, dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin promptly regulates out-of-order stomachs, because it neutralizes the acids in the stomach and digests your food just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly overcome any case of dyspepsia, indigestion or any other stomach disorder. —Advertisement.

JITNEY DRIVERS WANT JURY TRIAL

Jury trials were asked by sixteen drivers of "Oakland pleasure cars" today when they entered pleas of not guilty to charges of violating the jitney bus ordinance. The trials will commence March 7, and will be taken up in order by the courts.

There were no pleasure cars operating today, according to the police, and several of the drivers have signified their intention of going out of business. It is anticipated that before the cases go to trial there will be petitions on the part of several of the defendants for permission to change their pleas to guilty and to ask for an easy sentence on the promise of going out of business.

Chief Woods announced today that he had been asked by the representatives of the so-called "pleasure club" to instruct his men to discontinue to make arrests until the cases had been decided by the courts. Woods asked the advice of the city attorney and later informed Henry E. Lister, attorney for the defendants, that his men would continue to make arrests under the jitney bus ordinance as long as the "pleasure cars" continued to operate.

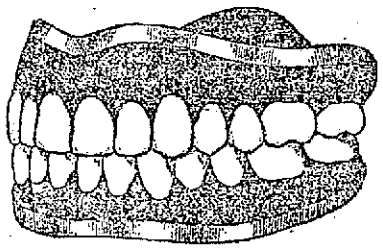
Special Policeman Is Jailed on Theft Charge

Special Police Officer Harry Grewe, who lives at 1088 Sixty-fifth street, is under arrest in the county jail today on a charge of burglary sworn to by Thomas W. Corder, wealthy wool merchant of Emeryville. Grewe was involved in the confession of Pearl Rogers who was taken into custody yesterday morning for the theft of a number of hides in Emeryville. J. B. Turner was also arrested as the accomplice of Rogers.

That the police officer had assisted in the theft of thirteen chickens from the Corder hennery recently by keeping watch while Rogers and J. Jacques Barilles, 1306 Sixty-fifth street, removed the chickens from the roost, was the statement of Rogers, acknowledged by Grewe.

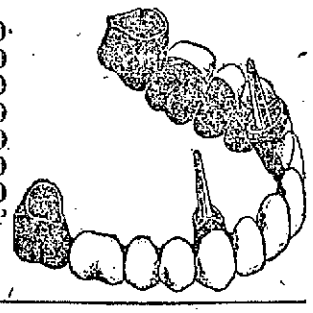
Dentistry On Credit

This Is For You Mr. Workingman!



Are you aware that I will fix your teeth for you at less money than you would have to pay students in college, besides extending to you the courtesy of our CREDIT PLAN? We use 22 karat gold throughout in all our dental work and give you a written guarantee with the work. Don't say it can't be done. Come and see me, get an estimate and convince yourself that what I am telling you is so. We don't have prices for one week or over the holidays. Below are our prices, which remain the same the year around. All we ask is a trial.

22-K. Gold Crowns...$3.00
Porcelain Crowns $3.00
Pivot Teeth $3.00
Bridge Work $3.00
Gold Fillings $1.00
Silver Fillings ..... .50
Cement Fillings ..... .50
Plates that fit ...$3.00 UP



A WRITTEN GUARANTEE WITH ALL WORK.

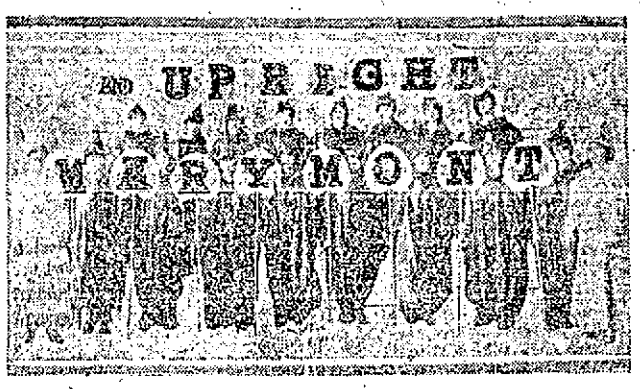
OPEN EVENINGS AND SUNDAY MORNINGS.

Dr. Charles H. Strub

1110 BROADWAY

Next Door to Security Savings Bank, OAKLAND.

NEW FIRM SHOWS SPIRIT OF 'GREATER OAKLAND'



DRILL TEAM REPRESENTING MARYMONT & UPRIGHT, AS IT APPEARED AT AD-MASQUE.

One of the interesting features of the Ad-Masque was the drill team representing Marymont & Upright, the new firm that recently succeeded Abrahamson's. Eighteen of the firm's employees were used, sixteen of whom carried banners which bore on one side the letters that make up the firm name and on the other side the location. Drilling by signals, the banners were deftly turned to change the reading. Two of the young ladies were dressed in special costumes, advertising the store and its various departments.

All employees of Marymont & Upright attended the ball as guests of the firm and they were there 150 strong.

Four boxes were used by the management. This new firm has quickly absorbed the Oakland spirit, and promises to be a factor in all future events.

COL. REES SETS BRIDGE HEARING

Discussion of Estuary Traffic Will Be Held Regarding Matter.

Investigation of the congestion at the Webster street crossing where both land and water traffic are declared to be impeded by the slow operation of the estuary drawbridges, will be made Thursday, March 9, when, at the rooms of the Board of Supervisors, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas H. Rees will hear reasons for closing both the Webster and Harrison street bridges for portions of the day to accommodate land traffic. Other regulations of traffic will be proposed.

The matter of a bascule bridge and the probable removal of the present bridges by order of the War Department, will also be taken up. Notice of the meeting was issued today by the War Department. The meeting will be called to order sharply at 10 o'clock, and all persons interested have been notified that they will be heard during the session.

"As all papers will be laid before the Secretary of War," says Colonel Rees' notice, "it will perhaps be best for those interested to present in writing whatever they wish to present."

Plymouth Social Club Has Program Tonight

Under the auspices of the Woman's Club of Plymouth Center, Tracey Kittredge of the University of California gave an illustrated lecture on "A Day in Belgium." Music was furnished by Mrs. Florence Keesing. Mrs. Mary Burtchaell conducted devotional exercises. Mrs. A. O. Wright, the president, was in the chair.

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock the Social Club of Plymouth Church will meet in the gymnasium of Plymouth Center to hear a program of readings by Mrs. Fred Slemmons and selections by the Ukelele Club. Mrs. W. P. Williams, chairman of the dramatic section, will preside.

Final Settlement of Ad-Masque Business

Notification to all holders of Ad-Masque tickets to make settlement today with P. E. Crabtree, at the Southern Pacific office, Thirteenth street and Broadway, has been issued by the committee. The Ad-Masque committee will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the Commercial Club Grill, when all affairs of the big dance will be closed. Committee chairmen will present bills at this time for settlement. George W. Ludlow, secretary, will be in charge.

Latin America but Half Legitimate?

Numerous Causes Told to Board

PANAMA, Feb. 17. — One-fourth to one-half of the population of South American countries is illegitimate, according to Dr. Robert E. Speer, secretary of the American Presbyterian Board, who is presiding over the Congress on Religious Work in Latin-America in session here.

Dr. Speer's statement is included in the report of the Commission on Women's Work, which was presented to the congress today.

The terrible pictures of the lot of the women of the poorer classes in Latin-America are drawn in the report. Referring more particularly to the west coast of the southern half of the continent, the commission says:

"The birth rate is large but the death rate among infants is also great. From 40 to 90 per cent die under 2 years of age. Among the causes are an unguarded milk supply and a state of morals which leaves half of the children to be raised by an unmarried mother without aid from the father.

"Miss Florence E. Smith speaks of the women of Colombia, as they work with pickaxe and shovel on the highway, or stagger under burdens too heavy to be borne—of the sixty out of every hundred women in the whole continent who have lost honor, self-respect and hope—of the mothers of the 40,767 babies who died in Chile alone in 1909, less than one year old, because of alcoholism and unhygienic conditions."

As a further illustration of the enormous infant death rate in the southern republics the commission draws a comparison with the rate in the registration area of the United States where, in 1911, eighteen per cent of the total deaths are those of infants. As against this 41 per cent of the total deaths in Chile in the same year were of infants; in Valparaiso the official figures were 333 per thousand, in Concepcion, 46 per cent; Valdivia, 43 per cent.

In striking contrast to the conditions prevailing among the poorer classes of the populations the commission finds that the Latin-American women of the wealthier ranks of society live on as high a plane as any of their sisters in the North or in Europe. The commission points out, however, that there is practically no middle class in South America and that a girl who has to work for her living is treated with much disdain, even women teachers having little social standing.

One result of the commission's investigation is the conclusion that a great change is coming in Latin-America in regard to the status of the women. The "women movement" is said to be making steady progress, women are gradually taking a more active part in politics and business and the efforts of the missionary organizations to relieve the lot of the poorer classes are declared to have met with most gratifying results, although seriously hampered by lack of workers and funds.

'SHRINERET' SHOW PLEASES SHRINERS

Members of Aahmes Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, were entertained at a "Shrineret"—not a cabaret—in their club rooms in the Pacific building, Sixteenth and Jefferson streets, last night. The entertainment was held immediately following the regular meeting of the organization.

The program was a surprise to all but members of the committee in charge. No one had been apprised of the plans of the entertainment committee. The entertainment opened with the playing of selections by the Aahmes band, after which Harry Bell took the stage and did sleight of hand tricks. Vocal and instrumental music followed by Charles Everson's quartet and the Encinal City Banjo quintet.

Sid Shaw gave an exhibition of artistry on a snare drum and Joseph Konieran sang several solos. A brass quartet led by Otto Riehl provided fifteen minutes' entertainment; Maurice Stewart gave a monologue and A. B. Ellsworth played a number of violin solos. The entertainment ended with a sketch by Anderson's tabloid minstrels.

District Attorney Will Not Prosecute Secada

Refusal on the part of Superintendent H. A. French, head of the state motor vehicle department at Sacramento, to make temporary provision for Joe Secada of Pleasanton, who ordered a set of 1916 automobile license plates and paid for them, but never received them through the mails, today brought forth denouement from District Attorney W. H. L. Hynes, who declared that he would advise Secado not to pay another fee as demanded and that he would refuse to prosecute him if arrested in this county.

"For several weeks this office has endeavored to get some satisfaction from Superintendent French in regard to the Secado case. The communications show that on December 24, 1915, Secado ordered his plates and sent a check for the amount, $3.80, in payment. The cancelled check was returned but the number plates never arrived at Pleasanton. I took up the matter with the department and asked if there was not some way that a temporary or emergency permit might be granted Secado.

"Now today I received word that Secado would have to make a new application for a license number paying the regular fee and that if the original numbers were later located he would receive a rebate.

"This is an outrage. If he is arrested in this county I will not prosecute him. I will do all I can to prevent his being molested."

'LIFE ASSURANCE,' THEME OF BANQUET

Oakland Manager of Equitable Society Is Thus Honored.

How Oakland's material and spiritual progress are inseparably linked with the protection afforded by life insurance, was the theme of toasts at the banquet given in Hotel Oakland last evening by A. M. Shields, manager of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of San Francisco to B. F. Shapro, manager of the society in Oakland. Leaders in insurance and financial circles on both sides of the bay, including women prominent in business circles, were guests.

From New York came messages of congratulation on the splendid showing made by the Oakland agency from Vice-President J. B. Lunger, Second Vice-President George T. Wilson, W. E. Taylor, superintendent of Agencies; A. G. Borden, secretary of agency clubs and others.

Relations between life insurance companies and the European war were discussed by Toastmaster Shields.

"If Oakland were an applicant for life insurance she would be written for a billion dollars, at the premium rates for a 21-year-old youth, and the insurer might as well waive medical examination," was former Mayor Frank K. Mott's optimistic view of Oakland's strength.

Others who spoke were H. C. Daniels, cashier of the company's San Francisco branch; Russell Lowry, president of the First National Bank; Samuel M. Marks, Mrs. R. N. Lewis, A. S. Levenson, Peter Barman, Rev. Alexander Allen and W. G. Tuffinder.

A telegram wishing him speedy recovery was sent to Judge W. A. Day, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, who is seriously ill.

Recall Against Council Projected by Drivers

Henry Lister, attorney for the Oakland Pleasure Club, the organization under which jitney drivers sought to do business in Oakland, will file a declaration of recall against Mayor John L. Davie and the other member of the city council tomorrow morning, according to an announcement made today by Andrew McGregor, president of Oakland local of the Chauffeur's union.

Members of the union met this morning at 1020 Broadway and were addressed by McGregor and others, who outlined the issues of their proposed recall campaign. In the petition the mayor and council will be charged with incompetency. The Auditorium dispute being cited as evidence, together with the jitney bus restriction and produce market removal agitation. Misdirection of public school appropriations also will be alleged.

Tenth and Broadway Is Sold for $175,000

The southwest corner of Tenth and Broadway was sold today to Henry Abrahamson by the Friedman Realty Co. at a price reported in the neighborhood of $175,000. The property was a part of the old Deiger estate.

The negotiations were made through M. C. Watson and Henry Isaacs. The plans of the new owner have not been announced.

Fight for Freedom Is Started by Patient

Efforts to obtain the release of Frances S. Howard from a sanitarium conducted by V. H. Podstata at Livermore through habeas corpus proceedings were commenced in the Superior Court today by Attorney Barry S. Ulrich of San Francisco, who complains that she is being illegally held there through the orders of Anna D. Howard. The writ was made returnable next Monday morning before Superior Judge Ogden. Anna D. Howard obtained guardianship over Frances Howard February 3, in San Mateo county.

THE RAVAGES OF LA GRIPPE

This disease, which is getting to be more dreaded every year, is not confined this season to the Northern and Middle States of the Union, but is found equally prevalent in Canada and the South, even in Northern Mexico. It is estimated that the number of persons attacked this year is probably twenty-five per cent of the population, both urban and rural. The money loss of service and time, not counting those who succumb to the disease, must be millions of dollars each winter. But that which appears to be most dreaded, after all, is the debility which follows in its train, and frequently lasts until warm weather sets in. The writer has found that during this period, there is nothing which contributes more to lighten the depression of this resulting debilitated condition than a diet of which Horlick's Malted Milk forms a part. It is so nutritious and digestible, that the effects of a glassful, taken hot, at various times of the day, and especially when retiring, proves refreshing and invigorating, and markedly lessens the period of debility, stimulates the reparative processes, and imparts a feeling of comfort and well-being that is eminently satisfactory to the patient and his family.—Advertisement.

You Can't Brush or Wash Out Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight and by morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.—Advertisement.

Today's Beauty Talk

You can make a delightful shampoo with very little effort and for a very trifling cost if you get from your druggist a package of canthrox and dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. Your shampoo is now ready. Just pour a little at a time on the scalp and rub briskly. This creates an abundance of thick, white lather that thoroughly dissolves and removes all dandruff, excess oil and dirt. After rinsing, the hair dries quickly, with a fluffiness that makes it seem heavier than it is, and takes on a rich luster and a softness that make arranging it a pleasure.—Advertisement.

Prof. Bassett to Lecture This Evening

The second of the lectures on public speaking which Prof. Lee Emerson Bassett of Stanford University is giving in Oakland under the auspices of the Rotary Club and the Oakland Center of the California Civic League will be an event of this evening at Hotel Oakland. The subject will be "The Speaker and Himself," and will be illustrated by a reading.

Professor Basset, at the request of the two organizations, arranged five talks on the higher phases of forensics, to be given on the third Thursday of each month. Several hundred attended the first.

BRASS WORKERS STRIKE.

ANSONIA, Conn., Feb. 17.—Demanding an increase of 25 per cent in wages, 800 non-union laborers in the brass mills of the Ansonia branch of the American Brass Company went on strike.

President's Daughter Heads District Forum

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, was receiving the congratulations of her friends today over her election as honorary president of the District of Columbia Community Forum.

Miss Wilson, who has taken a deep interest in the work of the Forum, was elected at a meeting of the organization here last night. In a speech of acceptance she expressed her gratification over the way the social center idea had been received.

Steel Plant Burned; Loss Half a Million

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 17.—The plant of the Fairist Steel company was almost completely destroyed by fire last night with a loss estimated at upwards of $450,000. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

New Aeroplanes of U. S. Praised by Government

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 17.—Successful completion of the last government tests of the new hydroaeroplanes which have smashed three world's records were made here today by Floyd Smith, civilian aviator. The machines will be sent to San Francisco about March 1 for shipment to Manila.

High praise was given the new seaplanes by United States army aviators. Captain Arthur Cowan, in charge of the signal corps, declared the flight Tuesday, in which Smith ascended 9803 feet with three passengers in a 125-horsepower machine, was a wonderful performance.

WOMAN PICKPOCKET ARRESTED

R. M. Lipanovich, a victim of a pickpocket, turned over a woman giving the name of Minnie Alexander to the police, accusing her of stealing a revolver from his pocket. The police found the weapon in the woman's possession.

H. C. CAPWELL CO. H. C. CAPWELL CO.

CAPWELL'S BASEMENT STORE

New Spring Separate Skirts arrived yesterday to sell for $2.95

A Wonderful Assortment of the Season's Best Models

You'll be more than surprised at the tailoring, materials, and up-to-the-minute styles in these clever skirts at this price. They are so pretty and smart looking that they will appeal to any young miss or woman seeking a modish skirt at a low price.

There are navy and black serges, and black-and-white checks; made the fashionable sport styles and in the more simple tailored effects. Sizes 23 to 30 waist measure. If you appreciate extraordinary values—you'll be delighted with these.

(On Sale in Basement Only.)

$10.95 Spring Suit Sale

Going On With Enthusiasm

It was natural that our customers should feel the same enthusiasm over these Suits at this price that we felt when we succeeded in getting them at a price concession from the manufacturer.

They command nearly double this price regularly.

The very latest styles, good quality materials and tailoring as correct as in the higher priced suits. Sizes for women and misses.

Come soon to avoid disappointment in size.

(On Sale in Basement Only.)

Muslin Underwear

Spring Styles

If you have never visited our undermuslin department in the Basement Store, you have missed a good buying opportunity. Here are pretty undermuslins of all kinds, made of good, serviceable muslins, cut on correct fashion lines and well and neatly stitched.

New lines for Spring are being opened daily. Among them are:

Muslin Drawers 25c

Of good quality muslin and neatly trimmed with embroidery or fine tucks. Both open and closed styles. Waist sizes 23 to 29. Price—25c.

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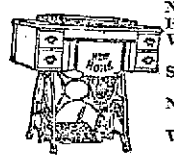

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Opportunities Pour Into Lap of New Venus de Milo

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Elliott Griffin of New York are expert dancers, but somehow they muffed their matrimonial fox trot, and even the one-step and waltz. He says she did it, while if she were here she would doubtless counter with equal positiveness that the fault is Mr. Griffin's. At any rate the divorce court will settle the case, the husband having petitioned in Los Angeles for a decree. It is to be set for trial within a day or two. The suit was filed December 15, after Mr. Griffin had been here over a year. Incompatability of temperament is the ground on which legal separation is sought.

Griffin is an exhibition dancer and instructor at the Huntington and Maryland hotels, Pasadena, where he enjoys popularity. He is the son of Dr. Carlton L. Griffin, a New York surgical specialist, while his mother is a daughter of the late Lord Robert Elliott of London.

HAD ONE MILLION.

His aunt, the Baroness de Kiefer, is one of the best-known equestrienses of the metropolis and possessed of a fortune estimated at a million dollars, to which the young dancer, from all accounts, is the sole heir. Dr. Griffin's great uncle was Captain James Lawrence of "Don't-Give-Up-the-Ship" fame.

Mrs. Griffin, the defendant in the divorce action, was formerly Inez Cooper Waller, granddaughter of former Governor Cooper of Virginia, and great great granddaughter of a former governor of Delaware. She is 25, and the husband 26. They were married in New York nearly five years ago, after a courtship of eight months, the romance having begun in Pittsburg when Griffin was on the stage with Lillian Russell, and Miss Waller was playing in a theater across the street. She was noted as "the girl with the beautiful back," and for a beautiful face and figure as well.

PRESENT OF $60,000.

On the day of the wedding Baroness de Kiefer made her nephew a present of $60,000, and he said yesterday that they squandered it all in fourteen months. After the money gave out Mrs. Griffin's love grew cold, he declares, and for that reason there was no more forthcoming from the baroness or from his father, who suspected that there had been a good deal of financial calculating on the wife's part before the marriage, and was not enthusiastic about the match. Mrs. Griffin had been married before.

Griffin cites his wife's alleged extravagance as one of the causes of the matrimonial shipwreck, but admits that he helped spend the $60,000 with a lavish hand. "Look at the cigarettes," he said yesterday, pointing to the photograph of his wife. "That hat cost me six hundred bucks! It would cost $1500 today. It was but one of many. A hat like that is as good a reason for a divorce, it seems to me."

The artistic young dancer has studied medicine and took up his exhibition work as a means to finish his education as a surgeon.

JUDGE IGNORES WOMEN IN DRAWING NEW JURY

SAN MATEO, Feb. 17.—San Mateo county's grand jury, the hope of the women's clubs and the pride of suffrage, today dwindled down to nothing in feminine estimation.

Superior Judge George H. Buck, he who gave the grand jury of 1913 a majority of women—with a steadily reduced number in each succeeding year—yesterday eliminated the female contingent. He drew his list of thirty citizens for the 1916 grand jury without including the name of a single woman.

Judge Buck declined to give any reason whatever for his change of heart. The women had plenty of reasons to give, while general gossip in San Mateo county merely pointed back to the records of the last three grand juries.

The 1913 grand jury, with eleven women a clear majority, investigated things never investigated before, turned up all sorts of affairs that some people considered private, and returned the longest report ever filed by a grand jury in that county.

Mrs. A. R. McCullough, president of the Burlingame Woman's club, and a member of the 1914 grand jury, said that in her opinion women had been eliminated from the county's inquisitorial body because they were too thorough in their investigations, too conscientious, and too active.

"The women's juries," she said, "did not consider themselves tied down by the court's instructions, but went off on their own investigating tangent. From my experience I am convinced that the clubwomen of San Mateo county have nothing to lose by being barred from the grand jury, because the manner in which the grand jury is at present handicapped by its instructions makes it a joke.

"Our 1914 grand jury had hardly got started when Judge Buck discharged it. As it is managed now, the grand jury is a needless expense and a blind to the people. Until things are so arranged that women can investigate in the way they want to, nothing is to be gained by their presence on a grand jury."

NEW VENUS DE MILO DELUGED WITH OPPORTUNITIES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.—Vaudeville managers, motion-picture promoters, autograph seekers and would-be husbands have deluged Miss Margaret Willetts, Swarthmore junior, whose physical measurements are nearly identical with those of Venus de Milo, with a multitude of telegrams, letters and messages. They contain offers to appear before footlights or pose in movies, and resulted from the wide publication in newspapers of her distinction. She is the daughter of E. R. Willetts, Trenton, N. J., who is engaged in the pottery business.

Bride Cooks for Photo When Hubby Is Sent to the Jail

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 17.—Out in an apartment at 661 South Burlington avenue there is a little seven weeks' bride, who is an heiress, too, very much alone and very much in love. Her husband, Thomas Eggleston, is in the county jail, snatched away from her while on her honeymoon, charged with grand larceny.

But it was yesterday that the loneliness and the love of the bride was impressed upon the authorities. Police Detective Cherry called at her home to interrogate her further in connection with the charge against her husband. He dropped in about noon time. The bride was very busy, muffled in a big white apron and the odor of a roast in the oven pervaded the apartment. The table was set for two.

"Expecting company?" asked the officer.

"Oh, no," replied the bride. "Tom is still in jail, but then he is here in spirit. I just pretend he is going to eat dinner here. I put his picture at his plate, where I can look at it and then I talk to him and pretend he answers."

The little bride was not as brave as she thought, for she suddenly burst into tears. Then she said:

"But even if they do send him to jail for a long time I'll just wait and wait until he comes back to me. I know all women say that, but I really mean it, and I'll prove it, too."

Eggleston is charged with having stolen mining books and laboratory paraphernalia from the mining school at the Y. M. C. A., where he was a student. He will be arraigned today before Justice Hinshaw.

Fight for Porkers Tangles Redwood City Divorce

DIVORCE SUIT TANGLED WITH FIGHT FOR PIGS

REDWOOD CITY, Feb. 17.—Over two dead pigs centers a legal whirlwind that threatens to keep the courts of Santa Clara and San Mateo counties busy for some time to come. Joe Scrapa, a wealthy San Mateo cattleman, has brought suit for divorce against his wife in the Santa Clara county court.

While that issue is being fought there, attorneys are trying in the San Mateo court to decide the ownership of two pigs. The decision in this case will determine the ownership of over $20,000 worth of live stock on the Scrapa farm.

In an effort to decide this question Joe Flores, Mrs. Scarpa's agent, was arrested on complaint of the husband for the alleged theft of the pigs. This action failed to settle the ownership of the pigs, for Justice of the Peace George Seely dismissed the case.

Louis Oneal, attorney for Mrs. Scarpa, announces he will take steps against Scarpa on account of his charges against Flores.

TEXAS RANCH GIRL BLOOMS AS STAR OF GRAND OPERA

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Another American prima donna was discovered by Maestro Campanini when Miss Marguerite Buckler, fresh from a ranch on Texas, sang before the great master at his offices in the Auditorium today. She had hardly begun when Campanini stopped her and began talking dollars and contracts, with the result that Miss Buckler will be a leading soprano with the Chicago Grand Opera Company next season.

"She is the most beautiful singer that I have ever had the pleasure of hearing," said Maestro Campanini, "and for looks, much like her voice."

"I'm very anxious to begin my work for the opera," she said, "but I am sorry to leave the great country of the West. I hope I can live up to the impression that Mr. Campanini has of me. I shall do my best."

Miss Buckler has studied in Paris under the noted Jean de Reskze and was singing at Marseilles when the war broke out. She fled to America, and went immediately to her home in California.

TEXAS OIL OPERATOR WEDS FAIR WIDOW

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Mrs. Helen Curtis, a prominent young widow of Houston, Texas, and well known in musical circles on the Pacific coast, was wedded yesterday morning to Charles Frank Ireland, wealthy oil operator of Houston. The ceremony was performed at the Stewart Hotel by Dr. W. K. Guthrie of the First Presbyterian church in the presence of a few intimate friends. The couple left last night for New Orleans and New York on their honeymoon.

The wedding was the culmination of a courtship which began three years ago in Houston, where the bride was active in musical and social circles. Mrs. Ireland came to San Francisco last May to spend the winter. She stopped at the Stewart. Arrangements were made then for Ireland to come after her this month. He arrived in San Francisco yesterday.

Owing to Ireland's pressing business engagements in New Orleans, the couple left immediately after the ceremony for the Southern city. After a few days there they will proceed to New York. They will make their home at Houston.

SWIFT ARCTIC MUSHING DONE BY TWO WOMEN

SEATTLE, Feb. 17.—Miss Ella Gehrmann and Miss Carrie Stipek, two government school teachers of Teller, Alaska, established a mushing record for women over the northland ice and snow. In order to pass their Christmas holidays at Nome, they traveled from a point well up toward the Arctic Circle to the Seward Peninsula goldfields metropolis, covering 55 miles in nine hours the last day.

AVERAGE COLLEGE GIRL NEEDS $765 YEARLY

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Feb. 17.—The average annual expenditure of a Smith College girl is $765. The lowest cost of a year's schooling is $350, and, so far as is known, the most spent by a single student is $1350.

ACTRESS MARTYR, NOT A SPY

SARI PETRASS IS SACRIFICED

WOMAN DIED FOR HER COUNTRY

Sari Petrass, the talented and beautiful Hungarian actress who was recently shot as an English spy, according to recent dispatches from Budapest, died in the cause of her country, a martyr because of her ideals and hopes, in the opinion of Szvetozar Igali, of 2909 Union street, an old friend of the diva.

Igali, who is the editor of a California agricultural publication, has known the actress for many years, having met her in Budapest in the fall of 1897. It was at this time, Igali declares, that the actress, fiery and flashing with the idealism of her race, inveighed against the Austrian government and denounced as traitors members of the Hungarian parliament who gave their support to Francis Joseph, who is of the House of Hapsburg.

"If these dispatches are true; if Sari Petrass was killed as an English spy," Igali said this morning, "I know that she is the victim of the militarism of the Austrians, that she died as a political prisoner. No, it was not as a spy that she was killed. It was as a patriot, a woman who could not stand idly by and contemplate the wrongs of her martyred Hungary.

ASSASSINATING PATRIOTS.

"This marks, I am sure, the inauguration of a regime of assassinating Hungarian patriots, just as on October 6, 1849, the Austrian government hanged thirteen Hungarian generals at Villagos and put an end to the Hungarian war of independence. Sari Petrass was a beautiful woman of extraordinary talent, and her death is a sad blow to the cherished cause of my countrymen."

Igali related a conversation which he had with the actress in a Budapest newspaper office shortly after he had become acquainted with her.

"She was talking to the editor," he said, "when I happened in, and she included me in the conversation. It was at the time that in the Hungarian parliament the government party waged an embittered war against the Kossuth partisans. It was a great turmoil. Bitter words were uttered agains Francis Joseph, and the name of the 'king of Hungary' was cheered. It was of this state of affairs that Sari Petrass talked.

"'In Hungary,' she said, 'there will never, never be peace, happiness and harmonious collaboration until we are removed from the yoke of the felonious Teutons. We want an independent Hungary, and I want to say that all who do not strive for our independence are poltroons or cowards. The deputies in the Hungarian parliament who support this Hapsburg-born king are traitors.

"'I am a woman,'" she continued, "'unable to use weapons in the struggle for my country's independence, but if the opportunity presents itself, I will do anything that will contribute to the freedom of our people. I would not hesitate one moment to make any sacrifices for my country, my Hungary.'

STIRRED UP REVOLT.

"Since that time," Igali went on, "she worked in every possible way to stir up revolt, to make the Hungarians fight for their independence. That is the reason that she has been killed by the Teutons. She was a great influence in the ranks of those who opposed the emperor, and I expect now to learn that other leaders of the faction opposing Francis Joseph will be assassinated in a like manner, under the absurd pretext that they are British or French or Russian spies."

According to new dispatches received here the actress was killed almost immediately after a court martial found her guilty of using her beauty to inveigle military and political secrets from high army officials and communicating them to the British war office by means of smuggled letters. Her arrest, court martial and execution were conducted with the greatest secrecy.

Miss Petrass was a niece of Countess Ilka Klinszky. She won early fame at Kiraly Szinhaz, the largest operetta theater in Hungary. Count Paul Esterhazy, recently killed on the battlefield, is said to have been engaged to her.

Sixth "Pop" Concert to Offer Unusual Numbers

Twelve big numbers will feature the sixth "pop" symphony concert which will be given at the municipal auditorium next Sunday afternoon. Of these, seven will be selections from Verdi's opera, "Il Trovatore," rendered by a quartet of famous soloists, and the balance will be orchestral numbers. The singers for next Sunday will be Mrs. Orrin Kip McMurray, soprano; Miss Lucy Van de Mark, contralto; Arturo Brava, tenor, and Signor E. Puccini, baritone.

Great interest is being taken in the coming concert which will be the longest yet given. The music lovers of the east bay cities have adopted these concerts and a record attendance is looked for.

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Uncle Wiggily And Higgledee Piggledee: A Bedtime Story

(By Howard R. Garis.)

Uncle Wiggily Longears, the nice old gentleman rabbit, was sitting in an easy chair in the hollow stump house of the Bushytail squirrel family, where he was paying a visit to Johnnie and Billie Bushytail, the two squirrel boys.

There came a knock on the door, but the bunny uncle did not pay much attention to it, as he was sort of taking a little sleep after his dinner of cabbage soup with carrot ice cream on top.

Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady housekeeper, went out in the hall, and when she came back, with her tail all tied up in a pink ribbon, for she was sweeping, she said:

"Uncle Wiggily, a friend of yours has come to see you."

"A friend of mine!" cried Uncle Wiggily, awakening so suddenly that his nose stopped twinkling. "I hope it isn't the bad old fox from the Orange mountains."

"No," answered Nurse Jane with a smile, "it is a lady."

"A lady?" exclaimed the old rabbit gentleman, getting up quickly, and looking in the glass to see that his ears were not criss-crossed. "Who can it be?"

"It is Mother Goose," went on Nurse Jane. "She says you were so kind as to help Little Boy Blue the other day, when his horn was frozen, and you thawed it on the warm pie, that perhaps you will help her. She is in trouble."

"In trouble, eh?" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily, sort of smoothing down his vest, fastidious like and stylish. "I didn't know she blew a horn."

"She doesn't," said Nurse Jane. "But I'll bring her in and she can tell you herself what she wants."

"Oh, Uncle Wiggily!" cried Mother Goose, as she set her broom down in one corner, for she never went out unless she carried it with her. She said she never could tell when she might have to sweep the cobwebs out of the sky. "Oh, Uncle Wiggily, I am in such trouble!"

"Well, I will be very glad to help you if I can," said the bunny uncle. "What is it?"

"It's about Higgledee Piggledee," answered Mother Goose.

"Higgledee Piggledee!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily, "why that sounds like—"

"She's my black hen," went on Mother Goose. "You know how it is in the book about me and my friends."

And, taking off her tall peaked hat, which she wore when she rode on the back of the old gander, Mother Goose sang:

"Higgledee Piggledee, my black hen,
She lays eggs for gentlemen.
Sometimes nine and sometimes ten,
Higgledee Piggledee, my black hen.
Gentlemen come every day,
To see what my black hen doth lay."

"Well," asked Uncle Wiggily, "what is the trouble? Has Higgledee Piggledee stopped laying? If she has I am afraid I can't help you, for hens don't lay many eggs in winter, you know."

"Oh, it isn't that!" said Mother Goose quickly. "Higgledee Piggledee lays as many eggs as ever for gentlemen—sometimes nine and sometimes ten. But the trouble is the gentlemen don't get them."

"Don't come for them?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"Oh, yes, they come every day," said Mother Goose, "but there are no eggs for them. Some one else is getting the eggs Higgledee Piggledee lays."

"Do you s'pose she eats them herself?" asked the old rabbit gentleman in a whisper. "Hens sometimes do, you know."

"Not Higgledee Piggledee," spoke Mother Goose. "She is too good to do that. She and I are both worried about the missing eggs, and as you have been so kind I thought perhaps you could help us."

"I'll try," Uncle Wiggily said.

"Then come right along to Higgledee Piggledee's coop," invited Mother Goose. "Maybe you can find out where her eggs go to. She lays them in her nest, comes off to get something to eat, but when she goes back to lay more they are gone."

Uncle Wiggily twinkled his nose, tied his ears in a hard knot, as he always did when he was thinking and then putting on his fur coat and taking his rheumatism crutch with him, he went out with Mother Goose.

Uncle Wiggily rode in his airship, made of a clothes basket, with toy circus balloons on, and Mother Goose rode on the back of a big gander, who was a brother to Grandfather Gousey Gander. Soon they were at the hen coop where Higgledee Piggledee lived.

"Oh, Uncle Wiggily, I am so glad you came!" cackled the black hen. "Did Mother Goose tell you the egg trouble?"

"She did, Higgledee Piggledee, and I will see if I can stop it. Now you go on the nest and lay some eggs and then we will see what happens," spoke Uncle Wiggily.

So Higgledee Piggledee, the black hen, laid some eggs for gentlemen, and then she went out in the yard to get some corn to eat. And while she was gone Uncle Wiggily hid himself in some straw in the hen coop. Pretty soon the old gentleman heard a gnawing, rustling sound and up out of a hole in the ground popped two big rats with red eyes.

"Did Higgledee Piggledee lay any eggs today?" asked one rat in a whisper.

"Yes," spoke the other, "she did."

"Then we will take them," said the first rat.

He lay down on his back, with his paws sticking up in the air. Then the other rat rolled one of the black hen's eggs over so the first rat could hold it in among his four legs. Next the second rat took hold of the first rat's tail and began pulling him along, egg and all, just as if he were a sled on a slipper hill, the rat sliding on his back over the smooth straw.

"Ha!" cried Uncle Wiggily, jumping out of his hiding place. "So this is where Higgledee Piggledee's eggs have been going, eh? You rats have been taking them. Scat! Shoo! Boo! Skeddaddle!"

And the rats were so scared that they skeddaddled away and shooed themselves and everything else, and they took no eggs that day. Then Uncle Wiggily showed Mother Goose the rat hole, and it was stopped up with stones so the rats could not come in the coop again. And ever after that Higgledee Piggledee the black hen, could lay eggs for gentlemen, sometimes nine and sometimes ten, and there was no more trouble as there had been.

So Mother Goose and the black hen thanked Uncle Wiggily very much. And if the stylish lady doesn't take our feather bed to wear on her hat when she goes to the moving pictures I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and Little Bo Peep.

Pack of Ice Carries Away Railroad Bridge

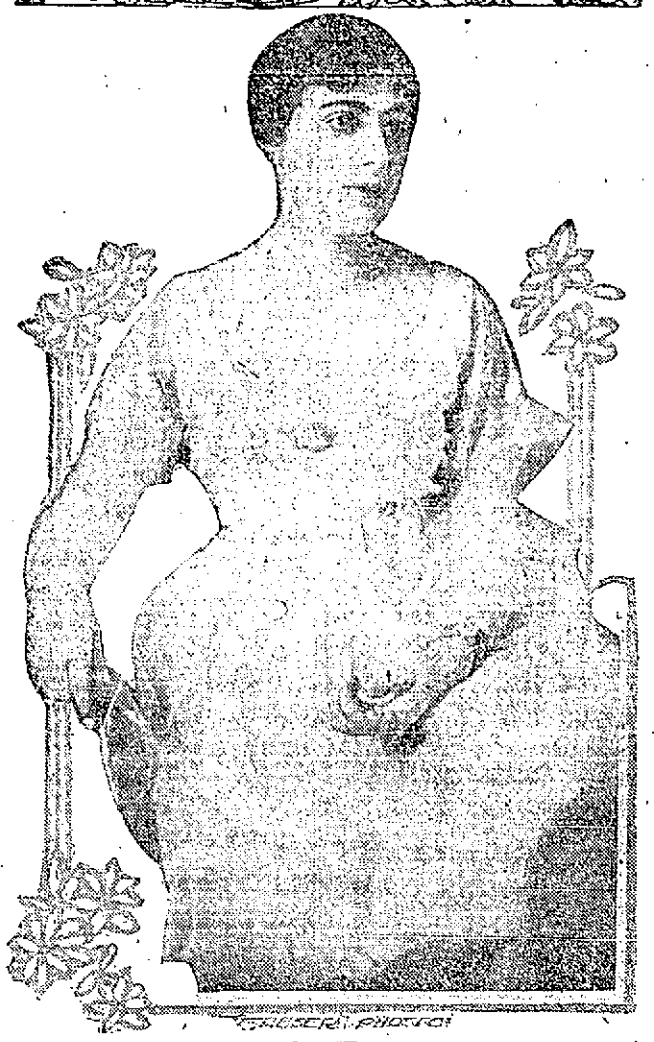
GREAT FALLS, Mont., Feb. 17.—The Great Northern Railroad bridge over the Marias, on the main line running north from here, gave way yesterday under the weight of ice forced down upon it by the flooded stream and it will take several days to make temporary repairs so that trains can get around it. Meantime the through Burlington trains, as well as all business to Canadian points, will be routed via Havre.

MRS. CLAY ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. I. Harrison Clay was hostess to members of an afternoon bridge club yesterday, her guests including Mrs. Charles Bates, Mrs. John Louis Lohse, Mrs. A. S. Macdonald, Mrs. Walter Henry, Mrs. Edward L. Brayton, Mrs. George Liman, Mrs. William T. White, Mrs. Kendall Morgan, Mrs. Hayward Thomas, Mrs. Tyler Henshaw, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. Harry Smith.

VISITOR FETED.

Miss Dorothy Scott of Manila was guest of honor at a bridge party given yesterday afternoon, by Mrs. John F. Thomas at her home in Alameda. There were four tables of cards. Today Mrs. Thomas entertained at a second bridge afternoon for Miss Scott, her guests including a different coterie of friends.



MRS. WILLIAM ARNOLD ALDRICH, A BRIDE OF THE SEASON WHO HAS SAILED FOR HER NEW HOME IN HONOLULU.
—Fraser photo.

In honor of her son's fiancee, Miss Ida Graff, Mrs. Leigh Richmond Smith gave a large reception at her home in Russell street this afternoon when several hundred guests were entertained. The rooms were decorated in shades of pink with roses, carnations and spring flowers, and rose shaded lights to add to the effect. Mrs. Smith received her guests in a gown of embroidered blue chiffon and her daughter, Miss Jacqueline Smith, who presided over the tea table, was gowned in rose taffeta. Miss Graff wore one of her trousseau gowns of white. Her wedding to Mr. De Lancey Smith is set for March 11 at the Graff home in Berkeley.

Assisting the hostess this afternoon were Mrs. Van Coen Torchiana, wife of the Dutch Consul in San Francisco; Mrs. Charles Fremont Pond, Miss Bessie Pond, Mrs. Barron DuBois, Mrs. Lawrence Joyce of San Francisco; Miss Sarah Holden, Mrs. N. P. Cole, Mrs. L. A. Patten, Miss Isabel Dodge, Miss Bernice Arnold, Miss Marjorie Boynes, Miss Josephine Clennell, Miss Pearl Queen and several others.

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JOHNSTONE-YOUNGBERG WEDDING.

An interesting wedding of March will be that of Miss Helen Montgomery Johnstone to Mr. Frank Easterby Youngberg which is set for March 18 at the Johnstone home in Jean street. It will be an afternoon ceremony with no attendants and only relatives and a few close friends present. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford Johnstone and her sister is Mrs. Jay Scott, one of the prominent young matrons of Oakland society. Mr. Youngberg belongs to a well known Alameda family and is a brother of Mr. Charles Youngberg. The young couple will make their home in Oakland after the wedding.

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HONEYMOONERS RETURN.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Weaver who were married a few weeks ago in Los Angeles, have returned from their honeymoon in the south and the bride is receiving a cordial welcome. Dr. and Mrs. Weaver who have established their home in Piedmont, were guests of Miss Cleo Posey in the Posey box at the Ad-Masque ball the other evening.

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DINNER THIS EVENING.

The dinner given by the executive committee of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society of Alameda County at the Hotel Oakland this evening will be an especially interesting affair. Miss Edyth Tate of the State Board of Health, and Mrs. Duncan McDuffie of the Welfare League will be guests of honor, and there will be speeches by Professor Ira Cross, and professor Arthur Pope of the University of California.

Mrs. Mark Requa and Miss Annia Florence Brown have arranged the dinner and the reception committee will include Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Requa, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison S. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. Edward von Adelung, Rev. and Mrs. Clifton Macon, Prof. and Mrs. Walter M. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Snook, Dr. Susan J. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Turner, Miss Grace Bernard, Dr. Florence M. Sylvester, Dr. A. S. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Taylor, Miss Ethel Moore, Dr. Phillip F. Abbott and Miss Annie Florence Brown.

Some of the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barker, Dr. and Mrs. McVey, Mrs. Morris Falk, Mrs. Carl Wallner, Mrs. E. N. Sherman, Mrs. J. F. Mullins, Mrs. F. J. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson, Dr. W. H. Schute, Mrs. C. F. Smith, Mrs. Thomas Brown, Miss Adeline Blood, Miss Louise Hohbeisman, Miss Mildred Diggs and Mrs. J. R. Mansell.

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MISS BECKWITH TO RETURN.

Mrs. John Beckwith will leave for the south this week to accompany her daughter, Miss Helen Beckwith, home after an absence of several months. They expect to arrive next Tuesday or Wednesday. Miss Beckwith, whose engagement to Delger Trowbridge was recently announced, will be one of the season's brides. She is a clever girl who resigned a position as instructor in hygiene at the University of California a few months ago.

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AT FRANCISCA CLUB.

Mrs. Dennis Searles gave a luncheon for Miss Maude Fay at the Francisca Club on Tuesday. The guests included several of the Piedmont friends of the hostess. Miss Fay who has been entertained at a round of luncheons and dinners, leaves this week for Los Angeles where she will sing in concert before going east to prepare for her debut at the Metropolitan in March.

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OAKLAND ASSEMBLY DANCE.

The second dance of the fourth season of the Oakland Assembly will be given Saturday evening at Ebell Club and will be a delightful party with valentine favors and decorations. About 300 young people will be present and a number of dinners will be given before the dance. Miss Carmel Kelley will be a dinner hostess that evening, entertaining at her home in Webster street.

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BRIDGE AT HOGAN HOME.

This afternoon at her home in Oak street, Mrs. Thomas Hogan entertained the "Ladies of Providence" at a delightful bridge party. The guests were a number of well known women who do much for the care of the sick poor at Providence Hospital.

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DANCE AT SOUTHERN CLUB.

Oakland guests will be present at a dance at the Southern Club this evening, the affair being the first of a series arranged by Professor T. C. Dana of New York who has had dancing classes at the Hotel Oakland and the Club out as well as at the St. Francis this winter.

The Hotel Claremont class is planning a Washington's birthday party for Friday evening, the 22d.

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IN NEW HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. William Arnold Aldrich (Verona Doussing), whose wedding was an event of January, have sailed for Honolulu where their future home is to be. Mrs. Aldrich is a daughter of Mrs. George Hamlin Fitch of San Francisco, and has many friends in Oakland society where she was entertained before her marriage.

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TO LIVE IN OAKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno William Praun, who are spending a honeymoon in the south, will return next week to occupy a new home awaiting them in Oakland. The bride was Miss Edna Ruth Manerhan before her wedding, which took place this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Manerhan in San Francisco. The bride was gowned in the conventional white satin with veil and orange blossoms and was attended by Miss Olga Praun, sister of the groom. Arthur Manerhan was best man, and the marriage service was read by Rev. White of the Christian church. The bride is a very talented musician, and an attractive girl with a wide circle of friends. The groom who is a son of Mrs. N. J. Herby of Oakland is in business on this side of the bay.

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BRIDGE HOSTESS.

Another bridge party of yesterday afternoon was given by Mrs. Richard Holmes Kessler, who entertained a club at her Vernon Heights residence. The members include Mrs. A. C. Pessey, Mrs. Guy Craffee Earl, Mrs. E. D. Yorker, Mrs. James Albert Johnson, Mrs. George Moore Shaw, Mrs. John R. Scupham, Mrs. A. H. Glasscock, Mrs. Arthur L. Adams, Mrs. James Lafayette Diven and others.

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HONEYMOON IN SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Reed (Alma Loretz), whose wedding took place Wednesday, have gone to southern California to spend their honeymoon. They will be in Los Angeles for a fortnight and on their return will make their home in Oakland. The bride, who is a very attractive girl, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loretz of East Oakland, and the groom is a son of I. C. Reed of Ukiah. The Reed family is prominent in Mendocino county, where there is much interest in the wedding.

How to Be Happy Though Fat, by Lillian Russell

NAY, sisters, do not shake your heads. You can be. Look at the woman who has attained her philosophy of a lost waist line. Is she not comfortably certain that it is not a hanging matter after all? And the so-called tragedy of a double chin—she can at least rejoice that she has not lived a double life.

The woman of abundant personality can always look jolly, and that is no mean art. In this life we have so little real fun that even to be a source of fun is something. I love to see the fat, "comfy" women who take their avoirdupois as a joke—a huge joke. She who can laugh over her avoirdupois is nearer the philosopher's stone than any other.

And she usually has beautiful hands and feet and—note the last, please—dimples. Who does not enjoy dimples? Everybody except the thin women on whom the once-pretty depressions have turned to cracks and seams. I saw two women meet on the street the other day. One was thin to the point of emaciation, the other stout but extremely good-looking. "Oh, how fat you have grown, my dear! Why don't you reduce?" cried the thin one. "Well, I am fat, but I like it. And when I look at the horrible examples in the living skeleton class I'm quite content. I really prefer the proverbial skeleton in the closet," answered the other woman sweetly.

"But do you really think fat women enjoy their excessive avoirdupois?" asked a friend of mine with whom I was discussing the superfluous flesh question. That depends entirely upon what you call excess. Now, for instance, take a normally fat woman—one with plump, pretty cheeks and more than a suggestion of the much-talked-of double chin. The lines and contours of her face may not be molded like a Venus', but neither are those of the sharp-featured woman, and I believe that the fullness of the chin is better than the hatchet-jawed female's.

The fat woman invariably looks pleasant. The thin featured woman may be so, but she certainly does not look it. Most men prefer the plump woman. She, as I have said, is comfortable looking, and more man, after he reaches a certain age, wants comfort. That is, I think, the secret of the stout woman's sway over her middle-aged husband. The thin woman may appeal to him for a short time because she stimulates him, but he invariably returns to his fat, good-natured wife, who has none of the sharp lines of the thin women but who is all pleasant curves and dimples and breathes motherliness in every movement.

Everybody loves a fat baby. A slender girl is ideal. Her willowy, lithe grace is always admired, but how many women, after their first youth is past, hold that litheness?

To begin with, it is boyish rather than maidenly, and a girl who develops into a womanly woman must naturally lose the former to attain the latter.

So take heart of grace. There are some women born to be fat. They may be fat and yet by rigorous exercise keep that youthful slenderness of theirs, but it means hard work. Be fat if you want—you probably will be anyway—so make the best of it. Be good-natured—it's expected of you.

"Laugh and grow fat" is an old adage to which someone has added "Grow fat and be laughed at," but out of your stout, sound philosophy laugh with them, and—

He who laughs last laughs best.

Lillian Russell

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

MARION F.—Without knowing more about the lumps on your cheeks, how big they are, etc., I would be lunable to give you any opinion concerning them. I would, however, suggest that you refer the matter to your family doctor.

PAULINE—Try drinking plenty of water, three pints between each meal. To make a lotion that will correct the red, oily condition of the skin, add fifteen grains of tanic acid to five ounces of camphor water. Use this several times during the day.

ANXIOUS—I introduced into this country "rolling" for reducing one's hips. The method was given me in France.

To do it to the best advantage don a heavy woolen union suit and spread a large rug on the floor. Stretch out upon it, lying flat on your back, with hands at the sides. Roll completely over three times, rest, taking a long breath; then roll back three times.

At first you will find that this exercise will make you slightly dizzy, but as soon as you have that feeling close your eyes and rest a moment. Do this twenty-five times each day, increasing as you strengthen your flabby muscles up to 100 times.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Grandma's Old Fashioned Ridgways Tea

SAFE TEA FIRST

SOLD BY ALL ACCOMMODATING GROCERS

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Thickness.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur and alcohol added will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant, remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, gray or dry, scraggly and thin. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of muss.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.—Advertisement.

Fourteen Injured in Virginia Train Wreck

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 17.—The Seaboard Air Lines Florida Limited northbound was wrecked today at Kingsland Bridge, ten miles south of here, while running at high speed. No one was killed. Fourteen persons were badly injured and others less seriously hurt.

The tender jumped the track, ripping up rails and ties, and four coaches went down a steep embankment.

TALK ON SALESMANSHIP.

The psychology of salesmanship will be scientifically demonstrated for the girls of the vocational department of the city schools this evening at the Young Women's Christian Association, 1515 Webster street, by Miss Ethel Foster of the Emporium.

Miss Foster, who is considered an authority, will direct a demonstration sale, showing how a saleswoman interests and finally sells certain articles of feminine attire to a customer bent on purchasing an entirely different class and kind of garment.

Corns Come Off Like Banana Peel

Wonderful, Simple "Gets-It" Never Fails to Remove Any Corn Easily.

"Wouldn't it jar you? Here I've been going along for years with one desperate corn after another, trying to get rid of them with salves that eat off the toes,

Hesitate! Use Sure "Gets-It" for Those Corns and Save Your Life and Your Toes!

tapes that stick to the stocking, bandages and plasters that make a package of the toes, trying blood-bringing razors and scissors. Then I tried 'Gets-It' just once and you ought to have seen that corn come off—just like a banana peel." It's simple, wonderful. It's the new way, painless, applied in two seconds, never hurts healthy flesh or irritates. Nothing to press on the corn. Never fails. Quit the old ways for once anyway and try "Gets-It" tonight. For corns, calluses, warts and bunions.

"Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. Sold in Oakland at all stores of The Owl Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Ends Dry, Hoarse or Painful Coughs Quickly

A Simple, Home-Made Remedy, Inexpensive but Unequaled

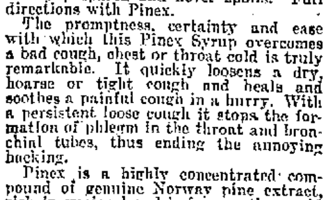
The prompt and positive results given by this pleasant tasting, home-made cough syrup has caused it to be used in more homes than any other remedy. It gives almost instant relief and will usually overcome the average cough in 24 hours.

Get 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any drug store, pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This makes a full pint—a family supply—of the most effective cough remedy at a cost of only 54 cents or less. You couldn't buy as much ready-made cough medicine for $2.50. Easily prepared and never spoils. Full directions with Pinex.

The promptness, certainty and ease with which this Pinex Syrup overcomes a bad cough, chest or throat cold is truly remarkable. It quickly loosens a dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes a painful cough in a hurry. With a persistent loose cough it stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the annoying hacking.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in guaiacol and is famous the world over for its splendid effect in bronchitis, whooping cough, bronchial asthma and winter coughs.

To avoid disappointment in making this, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.



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FAIR EMPLOYES OF JACKSON'S TO BE PARTY HOSTS

MISS KATHRYN LOESCH.

The employes of the Mutual Aid Association of Jackson Furniture Company are going to give a whist tournament and dance on Friday evening, February 25, Knights of Columbus Hall, Thirteenth and Castro streets, Oakland.

The game will be called sharply at 8:30 o'clock p. m. and will continue until 10 o'clock p. m., when dancing will commence. Many valuable prizes will be given for the successful players and the score cards will sell for 25 cents each. The proceeds will be used for a picnic to be given later in the season by the employes and their friends.

Misses Kathryn Loesch, Lillian Carlson, Gertrude Bieleck, Lettie Dober, Lila Gannon and Julia Loesch will act as score girls.

The committee consists of Miss Ethel Bieleck, H. W. Reynolds, William Cross and D. W. Ramsell.

The members of the association are looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to the event and extend invitations to all their friends who have not been personally invited.

Hints for Automobile Owners

Motoring department, The TRIBUNE: My car had the front axle badly bent, and since having it repaired I find the car sways at speeds of from twenty-five to thirty-five miles an hour. How can I find out whether front axle and wheels are right and how can I tell whether front and rear wheels "track?"

JAMES BREDIE.

The swaying may be caused by the felloes of the wheels being bent. This can be seen by jacking up the front wheels and spinning them. Also note if front axle stands at right angles to the frame. To make sure the wheels are lined up properly, measure the distance from the rear axle to the front axle on each side and see if the two wheels are parallel to each other. After doing this point the front wheels straight ahead and measure the distance from rim to rim at the back of the wheel and front. The rims should be approximately one-quarter inch closer together in front than in rear.

If all the axles and wheels line up properly, there is no reason why they should not "track."

Motoring Department, The TRIBUNE: I have a four cylinder, 35-horsepower car of this year's model which has suddenly developed a peculiar missing. The car is equipped with a —— magneto and misses on cylinders two and three at all speeds and hits as well as ever on cylinders one and four. There is no spark at two and three whatever, while one and four have a strong spark. The wires are in good shape; also the plugs. What is the remedy for this trouble?

W. R. TURNER.

The trouble, it appears, lies in the primary interupter in the magneto. One of the cams which operates this without doubt is worn or defective and does not cause the interrupter points to open.

There are two cams operating the interrupter which works alternately. The firing order of your engine is either 1-2-4-3 or 1-3-4-2, and it is evident that one cam operates for the spark in 1 and 4 cylinders and the other cam for the 2 and 3 cylinders.

The trouble may be located by removing the magneto and revolving the armature slowly by hand. Watch the interrupter points to see if they separate properly every half revolution of the armature shaft.

Motoring Department, The TRIBUNE —I have a —— and when I throttle down the motor for two or three minutes and then open the throttle the motor seems to choke, and sometimes will stop altogether. Could you tell me the trouble?

C. HOFFMAN.

Your trouble is in the carburetor. Would suggest your trying a new auxiliary air valve spring. Also inspect float and float valve and note if same work freely and properly.

Motoring Department, The TRIBUNE —Do you advise the use of powdered graphite in the crank case of a splash system engine? Oil is pumped into the main bearing and troughs into which the cranks dip. Will either have any bad effect on the motor?

C. M. GREENWOOD.

Powdered graphite is not to be recommended in the crank case in a splash system engine. While graphite will not materially injure the working parts, it will have a tendency to clog up the various holes and grooves, and possibly prevent the proper flow of oil to the respective bearing surfaces. It is not necessary, and the advantages to be gained by its use are not worth the experiment. Would advise your using a high-grade oil free from as much graphite or carbon ingredients as possible.

Motoring Department, The TRIBUNE —I had the motor in my car overhauled recently, and since that time it runs well at a slow rate of speed, but when I go faster than twenty miles an hour it misses. I have four coils with buzzers, no magneto. What do you think is wrong?

R. S. M.

If you are sure that the carburetor is adjusted properly for high speed, would suggest that you clean out the timer so that the roller will make a clean contact with the segments or contact pieces. If they are dirty the roller at the end of the timer shaft will not make a good electrical connection when going very fast.

Serve Expo Beer for all occasions—your Eastern friends will want it. Phone your dealer or Oakland 596.—Advertisement.

FOOD INSPECTOR SENDS OUT ADVICE

A. M. Thompson, chief market and food inspector, has prepared a set of instructions and warnings concerning the handling of milk and cream and 20,000 of these have been printed and sent out to dairies, creameris, milk depots, restaurants and to housewives by the city health department. The pamphlet reads as follows:

NOTICE!

"The Health Department hereby calls the attention of all housewives and consumers of bottled milk and cream to the following:

"Milk and cream are among the most important food products of the household and are quite susceptible to contamination, therefore it is incumbent upon consumers to exercise a proper care of same after they have been delivered:

"First—By keeping the cap on the bottle to protect from contamination, dirt and flies.

"Second—Keep the milk and cream away from the sink, wash trays, slop hoppers or other plumbing fixtures."

"Third—When the milk or cream bottle is empty wash with soap and water and put the mottle out for the milkman to take to the dairy for sterilizing. Carelessness in properly cleansing bottles before returning to the dairy may be the means of spreading disease.

"Fourth—Remember that the bottle is the private property of the dairyman, and as such it must not be sold or thrown into the garbage barrel, or placed where others than the property owners can recover their property.

"Bottles that find their way, by means of the garbage barrel, to the junk dealer, become a menace to public health.

"Garbage and junk men will be prosecuted if caught trafficking in milk or cream bottles.

"Fifth—You must not use the milk or cream bottle for any other purpose than that for which it was intended, namely, to hold milk and cream.

"Sixth—Drivers are requested not to remove from any premises bottle which have not been cleaned as above directed, and dairymen are instructed to notify the Health Department of violations.

"Seventh—The Health Department herewith directs that every dealer in Oakland selling or delivering bottled milk or cream to private consumers must deliver a copy of this notice to his customers.

"By A. M. THOMPSON,
"Chief Market and Food Inspector."

STUDENTS WILL APPEAR IN SHOW AS MINSTRELS

MISS MAUD WALLIN.

"Queen of Hearts," an original comedy, is to be presented by students of the Polytechnic College of Engineering, Friday night, at the school auditorium. The balance of the program is made up of a minstrel and vaudeville acts.

Those taking part in the minstrels are F. H. Peterson, Frank Olander, J. R. Evans, Stanley Davis, H. L. Ingham, Charles Piggott, H. H. DuBost and Leo Collins. Messrs. Settlige and Cardoza and Davis and Barnott will be the vaudeville performers.

The comedy parts are taken by Miss Maude Wallin, Miss Vernice Cardóza, Clarence M. Smith and Rhine Fakkema. The school orchestra will play selections.

Blue Bird Bureau.

Department of Good-Fellows

Today a sweet 8-year-old girl parted with the dearest pet she ever possessed to make happy another girl of the same age. On her way from one home to the other kitty paused and looked in at the Blue Bird Bureau, that we might admire her pretty, soft, snow-white pelt. She is as gentle as the proverbial lamb and as friendly and graceful as becomes a kitten that has been treated with kindness. And kitty carried with her a little note sealed in a tiny child's envelope from her old mistress to the new one, by way of a letter of introduction. Who knows, she may be the means of a budding friendship that may last through years and years of vicissitudes.

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Another child was made happy by the receipt of a game that some Good Fellow sent the Blue Bird Bureau. He is a nice little fellow of only six winters and takes care of three brothers and sisters, all younger than he is. The father died after a lingering illness, only a few days ago, and the mother has to work so hard to keep the wolf from the door that she can give no time for play to her children. We hope the little man will enjoy the game very much and amuse the babies with the pretty pictures on the cards.

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THE CHILDREN'S GREETING TO THE BLUE BIRDS.

Pretty Blue Birds, winging
Hither, thither, singing
Songs of hope and cheer,
With you we are very,
Very glad and merry,
For the spring is near.

Down the hills she's coming!
Soon we'll hear the humming
Of her busy bees,
Through the sunny hours,
'Mong the wakening flowers
And the blossoming trees.

We're so glad we met you,
And we'll not forget you,
Blue Birds, kind and true.
Though our means are meager,
All of us are eager
To be Blue Birds, too.

—Emma Scarr Booth.

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Little John Oxley went over to the store yesterday where his "peg leg" will be manufactured, and had the measure taken. He also procured a pair of shoes. It is so long since he wore two shoes that it will seem rather strange to him at first. He called on the Blue Bird Bureau and showed his appreciation for what the Good Fellows have done for him.

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Daily a number of children come to the Blue Bird Bureau asking for clothing and shoes and scores of others are sent by the school nurses to the Harrison school. Do not think because the weather is warm that clothes are no longer needed. Even if children do not feel the cold now as they did two weeks ago in their thin and ragged suits and dresses, still they like to look presentable. With decent clothes on they feel happier and show more self-respect and take a great deal more interest in their studies at school.

HOW TO GET RID OF DANDRUFF

This Home Made Mixture Removes Dandruff and Stops the Hair From Falling Out.

The following simple recipe, which can be mixed at home, or put up by any druggist, will quickly remove dandruff and stop the hair from falling out.

To a half pint of water add 1 oz. of bay rum, 1 small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. These are all simple ingredients that you can buy from any druggist at very little cost, and mix them yourself. Apply to the scalp once a day for two weeks, then once every other week until the mixture is used. A half pint should be enough to rid the hair of dandruff and kill the dandruff germs. It stops the hair from falling out, and relieves itching and scalp disease.

Although it is not a dye, it acts upon the hair roots and will darken streaked, faded, gray hair in ten or fifteen days. It promotes the growth of the hair and makes harsh hair soft and glossy.—Advertisement.

The Butter That makes muffins Better

Hot Muffins take on a new delight when spread liberally with Golden State Butter—the butter that is made of selected cream under conditions that insure absolute purity and cleanliness.

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is exceptionally delicious because it is exceptionally good. That is why it was awarded the Grand Prize at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in a world's competition.

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When you order butter, ask your grocer for Golden State—the brand the highest authority proclaims the best.

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20 Sacks Loose by load. $2.25
5 sacks $1.00.
J. W. LEDGETT
Phone Oak. 1011. 715 4th St.

Play Given by Moose Is Big Success

"Standing room only" was the sign hung out at the show by Oakland Lodge of Moose at the clubrooms on Twelfth street last night. The stage was set as a Southern Pacific passenger coach on its way to Truckee, the lodgeroom presenting the extravaganza "A Trip to Truckee." A program of vaudeville specialities and incidents of travel kept the audience in an uproar of laughter. It has been customary for the lodgemen to make an annual trip to Truckee, but this year the ingenious method of having the excursion held in the clubrooms was decided upon. Following the show, an afternoon theater party was enjoyed.

Santa Barbarans Now Rest Easier

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 17.—Cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers of the Pacific coast fleet have just completed off this port secret practice lasting two weeks in which the vessels demonstrated their ability to repel an aeroplane invasion, according to information here today. This information is believed to explain the mysterious airship flights over the ocean off here the last two weeks.

The warships tested out their high angle guns and went through other maneuvers to repel the "hostile" airmen, it was said, using a cover on Santa Rosa Island for base operations. At least six airships, it was believed, took part in the maneuver. Flights over this city and over the ocean at night aroused much speculation among residents here.

Invisible Movies Are Cause of Law Citation

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Because she was not made a movie queen and portrayed before the public in an Oriental fantasy entitled "The Sultan's Dream," Mlle. Marie Eberwein, astrologist, palmist and seer, today applied for a citation against Walter L. McGinn, president and general manager of the Macrograph Motion Picture Company. She is seeking the return of $125, a portion of a fee which she says she agreed to pay for the production of a four-reel featured picture. She avers that her studio was fitted up for the production and that pictures were taken there. Later, she says, she discovered that the reels had been turned over without photographing, and with no motion reproduction.

KAHN'S THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE

This Is Our 83rd Weekly

Economy Friday

Longcloth — 75 pieces fine full bleach chamois finish long cloth for underwear, etc. 10-yd. piece.... $1.15 pce

18-inch All-Over Laces — Point Venise Allover Laces, in pretty small designs for dressy Lace Waists—A BIG DOLLAR VALUE. Colors, white and cream. Special, yard 29c

Fancy White Pique — Big Economy Special in a White Pique, all white with fancy dots; the soft finish, good wearing kind for Dresses—Economy Spec.. 14c yd

Petticoat Emb'y Flouncings — 10-inch Petticoat, embroidery flouncings. A splendid fast edge of durable cambric. Special Friday, at .... 10c yd

BARGAINS For Friday

Colored Border Curtain Scrim — 60 pieces Colored Border Curtain Scrim in White, Cream and Arabian colors for inexpensive Curtains. Special .... 5c yd

Sample Curtain Ends — 200 Sample Curtain ends for half curtains and small windows. All qualities; all styles; all one price .... 25c ea

18x36 Axminster Rugs — 200 Fine Axminster Rugs—size 18x36—in a big range of patterns and colors. You can use several at this price. Economy .... 89c ea

Colored Turkish Towels — Extra fine quality absorbent Turkish Bath Towels, with pink, blue and lavender stripes. The good wearing kind. Economy Special .... 29c ea

Percale and Gingh'm Aprons — With or without bibs, in solid colors, checks, figures. Economy Day ... 15c

36-in. Black Peau de Soie — An extra good quality, very rich and lustrous. An unusually attractive value at the special price ..... $1.19 yd

Children's Flannelette Gowns — Striped pink and blue—with or without collars; 2 to 12 yrs. Special..... 43c

Crepe Bloomers — Standard quality in colors pink, blue and white. Economy Day.......... 29c

Drug Departm't Specials

- 1 POUND THEATRICAL CREAM. Reg. 50c.......... 39c
- JERGEN'S NEW TALC—Rose or Violet—25c size 19c
- RUBBER GLOVES—New lot, for house and garden work—50c value 39c
- FRENCH CASTILE SOAP. Large bars, Special 23c
- ABSORBENT COTTON, 1 pound rolls. Today only—25c Roll....... 5 for $1.00
- PALM OLIVE SOAP. Spec.... 4 Cakes 25c
- PHOSPHATE SODA (a good Liver Salts), ¼-lb. bots...... 25c

NOTE—We repair Thermos Bottles; also Leaky Hot Water Bags.

Scotch Plaid Suiting — In new shades, 54 inches wide; regular $1.00 yard. Specially priced for Friday only, at .... 59c yd

Crepe Gowns — In Pajama, Middy, Square and Kimono models, solid white with pink and blue band. Value to 75c. Economy Day 48c

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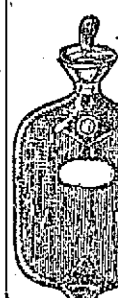

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STILL NO SIGNS OF PEACE.

Count Okuma, Japanese premier, confirmed in Tokyo the other day the report that Germany had indicated a desire to open separate peace negotiations with Japan. Recently there have also been published reports that, inasmuch as Italy had not formally declared war against Germany, there was prospect of independent peace parleys being opened between Italy and Germany's ally, Austria-Hungary. Much as peace is to be wished for, it is idle to hope, we believe, that the war will be terminated or the end even hastened by offers of separate terms to or by any of the belligerents.

As for the entente allies, the five leading powers have made a solemn covenant not to conclude a separate peace. This agreement is so recent and based upon such obviously logical grounds that it is not likely that local opposition in Japan or Italy will be permitted to influence any change in its effect. A correspondent in the New York Times calls attention to the text of this agreement. It was signed by the British, French and Russian governments September 5, 1914; by Japan October 19, 1915, and by Italy November 30, 1915. It is short and to the point:

1. The French, English, Italian, Japanese and Russian governments solemnly pledge themselves not to conclude a separate peace in the course of the present war.

2. The five governments agree that when the occasion shall arrive to discuss the terms of peace, none of the allied powers shall be entitled to advance any conditions of peace without a previous agreement with each of the allies.

As a guarantee of which the undersigned have signed the present declaration and have therewith affixed their seals:

(Signed) Imperali for Italy, Inouye for Japan, Benckendorff for Russia, Paul Cambon for France, E. Grey for England.

It seems that this agreement binds in the most formal and solemn manner each of the signatory governments to the fate of the others. Austria, Germany, Bulgaria and Turkey are no less inextricably involved in a common purpose in this war—to break the power of the solid group of their enemies. Despite all rumors and efforts to the contrary, it is impossible, in the eighty-first week of the war, to discern any prospect for an early peace.

On the contrary, it is apparent that the combatants are making ready for renewed activities on gradually extending fronts, and that the danger of the United States being drawn into the war is daily becoming more grave. It is a time calling for the highest quality of statesmanship and steadfastness of purpose. Unfortunately, the national government as now constituted is not one that inspires confidence.

BUREAUCRATIC OFFICIOUSNESS.

Bureaucratic officials at Washington have gone far beyond their legitimate authority in suppressing news dispatches from Germany by way of the Sayville wireless station, and the German government, through its ambassador at Washington, Count von Bernstorff, has formally entered a protest against this excessive abuse of opportunity. It appears that dispatches from American correspondents in Berlin, which had been passed by the London official censor, have been held up by the naval subalterns at Sayville. After an investigation the Associated Press finds that the German admiralty reports that the American wireless station has rejected several Associated Press dispatches containing straight and legitimate news matter. The Navy Department admits that it has construed several dispatches as falling under the inhibition of Secretary Daniels' order permitting passing war dispatches "providing no reference is made to movements or location of war or other vessels of belligerents."

This order was taken to justify suppression of a news dispatch telling of the sinking of the British cruiser Arabis, after the same information had been permitted to be sent from another source by the British war censor. It is difficult to conceive of anything more absurd, arbitrary and so clearly without sanction of law, reason or justice.

We have two guesses for the reasons for such reprehensible conduct on the part of the Navy Department. One is that it is due to the well-known incompetency of Secretary Daniels and his unfortunate faculty for getting his ideas and his perspective twisted; the other is that the subordinates in charge of the censor bureau have arrogantly presumed to do as they please. It is probable that the latter is the case. Naval officers have been known to commit as egregious errors of discretion before. We recall that shortly after the war started a junior officer of the Yerba Buena Naval Station was instructed to arrest, on an incoming steamer, two parole breakers from Honolulu, and he thought he had authority also to take into custody the British military attache at Peking, who was en route home under orders from his government. The act necessitated an apology on the part of the State Department.

The Sayville censor probably has the same idea about his importance. The order prohibiting the sending of information about the movement of belligerent vessels was issued to prevent violations of American neutrality and was timely and necessary. Suppression of legitimate news from a specific source, however, is an infringement upon the freedom of the people and the press, wholly without mitigating circumstances, and should not be calmly endured.

RAPID TRANSIT FACILITIES.

The letter to Mayor Davie from the president of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railways, published in Wednesday's TRIBUNE, presents in concrete form the tentative plans for an express passenger service between Berkeley and Oakland's business district. The most significant feature is the willingness of the traction company to meet the needs of the two cities in the way most acceptable to the residents.

A fast schedule interurban service between the two cities will be of substantial benefit. It will make Oakland's shopping facilities, which are as good in every respect as those across the bay, accessible to the people of Berkeley within fifteen minutes, which is thirty-five minutes less time than is required to reach the shops in San Francisco. It will also shorten the present service between Oakland and Berkeley over ten minutes, and, it is hoped, will improve the quality of the service. Oakland business will benefit through the increase in patronage the new service will bring and residents of Berkeley will be provided with valuable additional accommodations.

The proposal for an interurban line includes the granting of a franchise from the city of Emeryville for a track on Adeline street from San Pablo avenue to a junction with the present Key System Berkeley line, and an agreement upon the type of car to be installed. We believe the officials and the people should give this matter earnest consideration with a view to having the new service started as soon as possible. It will comprise an important unit in the plan to make Oakland the center of a rapid transit system. The traction company has shown a disposition to co-operate in a solution of the problems and a readiness to begin work as soon as authority for it is granted.

ENDORSEMENT FROM BOSSES.

Now that Section 4, statute 954 of the Ohio Political code, has compelled President Wilson to announce his candidacy for re-election in Ohio the Democrats in other states will not have to go through the formality of asking permission to file his name in connection with the selection of convention delegates. All the state party organizations may be expected immediately to take cognizance of his candidacy. Among the first to fall in line in support of the President's "unwilling" participation in the contest is Illinois and a peculiar sentimental interest attaches to this event.

Mr. Charles Boeschenstein, Democratic national committeeman for Illinois, who filed Mr. Wilson's primary petition as a candidate at Springfield Tuesday, was formerly chairman of the Democratic State Committee. He is a political protege and boon companion of Boss Roger Sullivan. It will be recalled that at the Baltimore convention in 1912, Boss Sullivan, as chairman of the Illinois delegation, and Boss Tom Taggart of the Indiana delegation, were the first to break from the corralled Clark delegates and line up with the Wilson forces. It was the turning of the tide toward Wilson victory.

These worthies participated in the drafting of the platform in 1912 and will have a strong voice in expressing Democratic doctrines at St. Louis. Apparently the bosses have accepted the violation of the one-term plank as a matter of course and will not dwell on the subject unduly.

Students at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis are not making the record of progress expected of them. Eighty of the cadets are to be dismissed because they failed to make the very low average of 62.5 in their studies. The number recommended for dismissal was 212, but Secretary of the Navy Daniels decided to give 130 of them another chance. On what grounds he disapproved the findings of the examining board is not known, but probably it was due to his well-known affinity for incompetency. But aside from this, the failure of so many students at Annapolis is serious matter. The curriculum is admittedly an excellent one. It is not extraordinarily severe and has been worked out with the sole idea of making the best naval officer possible. Maybe there is something wrong in the choosing of candidates for training. The suggestion, offered by Mr. Daniels' action, that the course is too hard is unworthy of serious consideration.

NOTES and COMMENT

The President's hat is in the ring and that one-term plank be-blessed.

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"Bell quits coast for high post in the East." It is an auto salesman, not Theodore.

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T. R. is not for "any particular Republican," but he just can't stomach the idea of the re-election of W. W.

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The Oakland municipal dredge has sucked up an old Indian carving. The attention of Collector Davis is directed thereto.

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The hunter who was sentenced to 150 days' imprisonment for killing a doe was harshly dealt with, though perhaps not undeservedly.

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This is a new angle—the, Iowa Democrats petitioning the president to reinstate Bryan. It is not seen just where that is to make a hit.

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The winner of the onion plaque at the exposition, it now transpires, exhibited fifty varieties. This important news is unaccountably belated.

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The man who would poison the soup at a banquet is akin to the snake that coils in your bed. We know what we would do to the snake.

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Fresno is excelling in another matter—triplets. A Mrs. Miles achieved two sets within a year, which is very likely to remain the record for some time to come.

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The president seems to have switched again, this time as to guns on merchantmen. It is getting so that it is rather a slack day when the president does not switch.

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The Brandeis matter is assuming proportions. The charges and assertions that are brought should be utterly disproved, one would think, to fully justify his ascendancy to the bench of the Supreme Court.

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In one of the agricultural departments it is solemnly announced that "nitrogen is necessary to guard fertility." This is a great discovery, made a couple of thousand years ago, but perhaps you can't say it too often in this day of scientific things.

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The gentlemen elected in San Francisco to conserve the interests of a great city have found that one of those interests is where one of its employes hires his livery rig. A big row is on because one livery man is patronized instead of another.

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It is significant that the two resignations, that of Garrison and that of Bryan, both should have been forced, while one is a pacificist and the other a preparedist. So it may be figured that this particular issue is not at the bottom of the troubles in the cabinet.

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The good old Oregon is no longer a fighting ship, but an interesting exhibit. The California militia will henceforth tread her decks in preparation for service on craft that is more up to date, and with the patriotic inspiration that the Oregon's record must instill.

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The census bureau figures out that there are 101,208,315 people in these United States and that there will be another million by July 1. Time to slow down on the introduction of ingredients and do some stirring for a while, to the end that a better amalgamation may be realized.

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Colonel Harvey, in justifying the president's decision to run again despite the single-term plank and the president's famous "molasses-to-catch-flies" expression, executes some logic that fairly rivals that which proves that a horse chestnut is just the same as a chestnut horse.

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A year ago next Sunday the gates of the exposition were opened to the public and processions wended their way through the same. Mayor Rolph has issued a proclamation anent the anniversary, calling upon the public to go out again, the proceeds to be applied to the Column of Progress.

CONGRESS STUBS ITS TOE.

There is serious complaint that the executive is now too strong in our National Government, that too much legislation is written at the White House, that something must be done to restore the proper power of Congress, and so on. Well, let's take a sample view. One day recently the House of Representatives was in committee of the whole to consider Secretary Lane's bill for leasing coal and oil lands. Representative Harrison of Mississippi opened fire with a red-hot speech against the export of munitions of war. Mr. Slayden talked about Mexico, Mr. Quezon and three or four others had some eloquence about Philippine independence, Mr. Mays of Utah actually talked for fifteen minutes on leasing coal and oil lands, but Mr. Helgesen debated Peary's title to the discovery of the North Pole, and Mr. Bennett informed the House as to New York City's harbor requirements. Thirty-two columns were added to the Congressional Record, and three hours consumed, one-twelfth on the subject! The people of this country don't like bluff, bunk and scatteration, and Congress can begin to get prestige by tending to business. Yes, the bill was passed, but strictly as Secretary Lane's bill; Congress did nothing for it but vote.—Collier's.

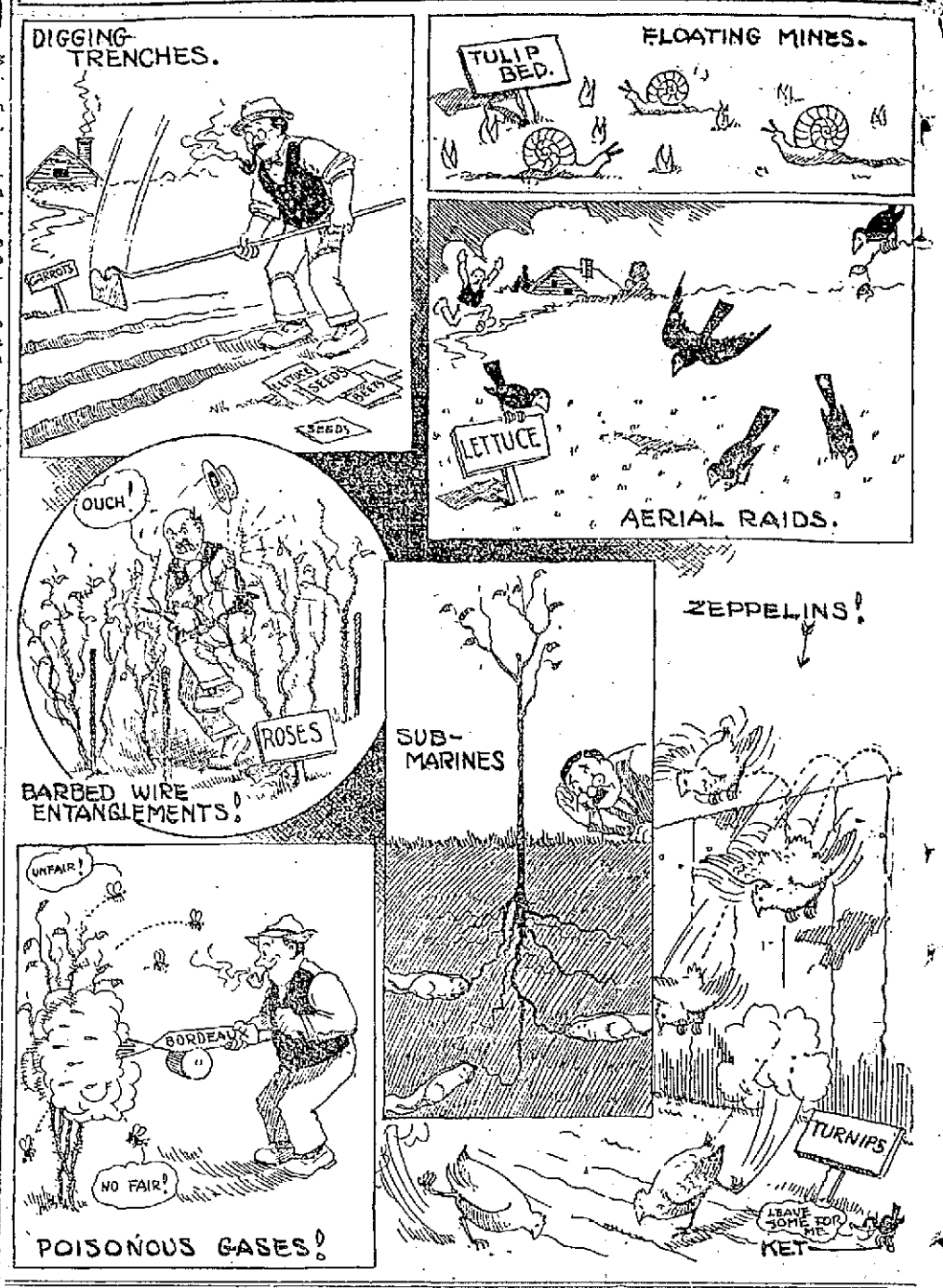
THE PIONEER.

The promotion of the venerable General Weyler to be president of the newly created central general staff in Spain is a reminder that his policy of frightfulness in Cuba was an immediate cause of American intervention. He was supposed to be out of date, but the present evidence that he was really in distinguished company is impressive.—Springfield Republican.

ERECTS LIGHTNING RODS.

Eugene Noble Foss, the tri-partisan ex-governor of Massachusetts, is advocating the nomination of a business man for president by the Republicans. And Gene is a business man in two countries.—Rochester Post-Express.

THE SPRING CAMPAIGN IS ON!



HUSH MONEY TO COLOMBIA

That expression of an uneasy conscience, unhealthy sentimentalism, or undismayed politics, the Colombian treaty, has made its appearance out of the room of the senate committee on foreign relations again. This time the uneasy conscience will be put to rest if the United States pay Colombia $15,000,000 instead of $25,000,000 for the damage done by the Panama rebellion and we shall not have to apologize.

We doubt if even an uneasy conscience could be so persistent in its proddings of the senate committee on foreign relations. Why the United States wants to admit that an enterprise resulting to the good of the world in general and to the great good of the people immediately concerned requires hush money is a mystery.

There seems to be a determination in the Senate that there shall be a confession of sordid practices. Bryan, when he was secretary of state, was unctuous in his urgence that we confess sin and make reparation. His spirit seems to trouble the senators yet.

What sin? That of becoming disgusted by the passionate panhandling of Colombian patriots, who thought they had struck a gold mine in the need the United States had of the Panama strip for the canal purposes? That of deciding to have nothing more to do with the Panama route and choose another? That of dealing with the citizens of Panama, who, desperate, seeing the jungle growing in upon the strip, decided to break away from Colombia and preserve themselves?

Is it our intention to confess that we had no intention of building elsewhere than across Panama? Is it our intention to say that we put up a trick on Colombia and incited the people of Panama to revolt? Is it our intention to discredit all the painstaking labors of American officials who tried to bring Colombia to reason and who failed because the Colombian government was too avaricious to have a glimmering of common sense?

This nation is asked to behave like a weak minded man who, having escaped from the operations of a blackmailer, decides that nevertheless the blackmailer is entitled to something. It is an immoral proceeding. It is not like giving a quarter to a street mendicant. It is like paying a blackmailer. It will not make our position stronger with Latin America. It will betray us as soft, unthinking people. It will label us. It will put a burglar sign on the front door.

The senate committee also has reported out the Nicaraguan treaty, which stipulates for a payment of $3,000,000 for an option upon the Nicaraguan canal route and for naval bases in the Bay of Fonseca. That treaty represents sound policy put in intelligent form. It fairly pays for known benefits. It is just as different from the Colombian treaty as an honest act of square dealing for a good purpose is different from one of surrender to dishonest practices for the purpose of escaping inconvenience.—Chicago Tribune.

LEVITE OR SAMARITAN?

Passing over the interesting problem in Biblical chronology raised by Colonel Roosevelt's establishment of the year 15 as that in which a certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell among thieves, the application of the parable to the conduct of this nation toward Belgium made in the Colonel's address before the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, compels attention. Colonel Roosevelt likens Belgium, violated by Germany, to the victim of the thieves, and asserts that the United States "has played the part of the Levite that passed on the other side without trying to help the man."

It is not recorded, so far as we are aware, that the Samaritan who succored this unfortunate man expended his energy in pursuit of the thieves, or even gave to their conduct subsequent to the assault they had committed serious thought. The Samaritan, instead, "bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn, and took care of him." The Samaritan gave to the host of the inn two pence, and said to him:

Take care of him; and whatsoever thou spendest more, when I come again, I will repay thee.

Colonel Roosevelt's Biblical excursion seems to have produced a curiously inappropriate illustration for the illumination of his argument. The Samaritan practiced benevolence, not vengeance; and the United States has been benevolent to Belgium.—New York Sun.

SPEAKING OF NEUTRALITY.

Collier's observes that among much else Secretary Lansing's note on submarine warfare provoked these typical newspaper comments from abroad:

By the Tagliche Rundschau of Berlin: "It could just as well have been signed by Sir Edward Grey."

By the Daily Telegraph of London: "One might think the note had been prepared by Count von Bernstorff."

A SONG OF PLEASANT MEMORIES.

The drowsy murmur of some tideless river,
A sudden gleam of the transcendent sea,
Young poplar leaves with April's kiss a-quiver,
And Ilion lives again for you and me.

A child's cry through the hush of dawning breaking,
A woman's voice that answers tenderly,
Song of a bird, his little soft throat shaking,
And Ilion lives again for you and me.

Ripples of sunlight 'twixt vine tangles dripping,
Plant of an unforgetful hemlock tree,
A pheasant through low rustling leaf drifts slipping,
And Ilion lives again for you and me.

Ruffle of wings through apple orchards flying,
Fragrance of burgeoning lilacs blowing free,
Spilled incense grains 'neath willow censers lying—
And Ilion lives again for you and me.

The Milton Hills through veils of violet peering,
Platoons of gulls patrolling the gray sea,
Young Dian toward the west her shallop steering,
And Ilion lives again for you and me.

Greetings, half said, with stress of longing broken,
Chrism of the look reveals divinity,
Silence, through which love's ultimate is spoken,
Dear—Ilion lives for aye—with you and me!

—Frances Bartlett in Boston Transcript.

A PROPER CELEBRATION.

Certainly the Brandeis appointment demands another Gary dinner, and no time lost.—New York World, Dem.

THE JESTER

Between Drinks.

Henry Foster, of Clay county, had been arrested for allowing his horse and wagon to block the public thoroughfare for the better part of five hours.

"Did you leave your team for five hours, Mr. Foster?" asked the judge.

"Might have been thet long, jedge," was the reply.

"Where were you?"

"In a saloon on Decatur street, yer honor, takin' a drink."

"Do you mean to tell me that it took you five hours to consume one drink?"

"Well, sur, no, not ex-actly; I was interrupted three er fo' times."—Case and Comment.

Those Dear Girls.

Edith—I think Jack is horrid. I asked him if he had to choose between me and a million which he would take, and he said the million.

Marie—That's all right. He knew if he had the million you'd be easy.—Boston Transcript.

His Wish Fulfilled.

The peddler knocked timidly on the kitchen door. A stout Irish woman, angry at being interrupted in her work, pulled open the door and glowered at him.

"Did yez wish to see me?" she demanded in threatening tones.

"Well, I did," he assured her with an apologetic grin. "I got my wish, thank you." And off he went.—Boston Transcript.

Foresight.

"What's the matter, father? Regretting those cigars you threw away?"

"A little," he confessed.

"You'll find them on the top shelf of the linen-closet," said mother with a well-concealed smile.—Kansas City Journal.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Mayor Davie has made a special report on the tax levy, showing that in 1892 the levy was 99 cents; in 1894, $1.12, and in 1895, $1.18, while this year it is but a dollar.

The record of child marriages in Alameda county is swelling rapidly. The latest is John Henry Johnson, age 18 years, and Miss Annie Parnell Hallett, 16 years of age.

Councilman Manuel's presidency of the council will expire April 1, under the rules adopted by that body by which a new chairman is chosen each year. It is understood that Councilman F. K. Mott of the First ward is slated for the place.

The engagement is announced of Alois S. Baum and Miss Melita Frank.

Julius Abrahamson, president of the First Hebrew Congregation, lectured on "Religious Enthusiasm" last night.

PERSONALITIES.

The reference of H. J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary for war, to Winston Spencer Churchill, in the House of Commons last night as "Colonel Churchill" is the first public intimation of his promotion.

Julius Nelson, professor of biology at Rutgers College since 1888, and chief biologist of the New Jersey Agricultural Experimental Station for many years, is dead at his home, New Brunswick, N. J., from pneumonia. He was born in Copenhagen in 1858.

Vernon Castle gave his regards to Broadway last night. He sails on the Adriatic from New York Thursday to accept a post with the British aviation corps.

Francis J. Carolan had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday while playing a practice game of polo when his horse fell with him.

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S. P. ORDERS BOXCARS AND EQUIPMENT

Company Will Spend $3,000,000 for Needed Rolling Stock

Shipments of California Products Will Be Facilitated

New equipment to cost close to $3,000,000 for the freight service of the Pacific system of the Southern Pacific Company has just been ordered by the corporation, according to announcement made today by local officials of the railroad. The work of constructing the vast new stock to be put into operation will be rushed to completion, that the much-needed car shortage which has existed on the coast for the past two or three years may be immediately relieved.

The orders include 1500 box cars, 475 flat cars, 200 gondola cars, 450 stock cars and 25 flat car bodies. Although ordered of Eastern car building firms, as there are no car building concerns on the Pacific coast, much of the lumber that will be used in their construction will be shipped from California.

All of the new cars are to be put into service on the lines of the Pacific system and will provide further facilities for the movement of California and Pacific coast products. In common with other railroads in the United States, the Southern Pacific has not purchased new equipment in the past two or three years, with the result that there has been a shortage of cars and shipments of fruits and various products and freights have been delayed during the rush seasons.

"With this new equipment," L. Richardson, district passenger and freight agent at Oakland, said today, "the freight department of the Pacific system will be developed to its highest efficiency. Business has grown enormously and the car shortage has been felt keenly in recent months.

"The ordering of this vast amount of new equipment shows that the Southern Pacific Company has every confidence in the future of California and the Pacific coast. It will do away with the car shortage and will, naturally, result in better service to the shippers of both the East and the West."

BULLET PIERCES HEART.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 17.—William C. Campbell, 22 years old, employed as a typewriter salesman, was killed tonight while taking a revolver from a chest in his automobile. The weapon fell and was discharged. The bullet pierced the heart.

LOVER FIRES WHEN GUILTY WIFE TURNS

Soldier Says That Fickle Woman Left Husband for Him

Attempts to Kill Her When She Wearies of Relationship

SAN JOSE, Feb. 17.—Claiming that the woman had been given to him by her husband in Monterey on the understanding that he would be killed if he did not care for her properly, and that she had later deserted him, T. C. Fisher, a former soldier, is in the county jail here today awaiting the outcome of the gunshot wounds which he inflicted on Mrs. Geraldine Hall, a waitress.

Mrs. Hall is at the point of death in the Columbia hospital, with a bullet through her spine. Little hope is held out for her recovery. Fisher will be charged with murder in the event of her death.

The shooting occurred last evening when Fisher walked into a First street restaurant where the woman is employed and ordered a cup of coffee. As she turned to execute his order, he drew a revolver from his pocket and shot her through the spine.

Fisher then fled to the street, intimidating those who sought to stop him with his weapon. At the curb he commandeered a passing automobile and was about to jump into it when Sheriff A. B. Langford placed him under arrest.

In his cell at the county jail Fisher told the sheriff that he had shot the women because she "threw him down." She is the wife of O. W. Hall, a Monterey cabinet maker.

"I met the woman in Monterey," Fisher said. "When her husband caught us together he gave her to me, and told me he would fill me full of lead if I did not take good care of her. We left town together, but now she has left me for another man, so I shot her."

Court Figures Uphold Act of Sued Constable

Instead of being held responsible for damages caused through his closing an Eighth-street restaurant recently, Constable H. D. Hempstead received commendation from Superior Judge Waste for having saved the proprietor a loss of $4 per day. Peter Chana, the proprietor of the restaurant, sued Hempstead for causing him a loss of business. The testimony in the trial brought out that while the expenses of operation were $18 the receipts were but $14 per day.

"It looks is you owe Hempstead a commission for having saved you money," commented the court in giving judgment for the defendant.

VENUS UNMEASURED AT U. C.

GIRLS' CURVES UNTABULATED

PERFECT WOMEN KEPT SECRET

Busts and Biceps Not Important at College

Poor Miss California! Beautiful as everyone knows her to be, fair of form and face, her beauties will have to be hid from the rude public gaze. The University of California physical education department for women has refrained from measuring the girls who come up to college, except to discover pathological faults, and will continue so to refrain.

Wellesley has measured its entrants, and told an anxiously awaiting world that they approximate, in the average, the perfections of Venus. Barnard College has followed suit, and while claiming that its freshman girls are of beautiful figure and proportion, still has to admit that they are a bit short for their weight; that they are rather too plump Venuses, in fact.

But at the University of California the light of beauty has been hidden under a bushel. Perfect girls abound on the Berkeley campus. The average of them all, think the masculine connoisseurs who inhabit Senior Bench and North Hall steps and the California Hall lawn, must be very high indeed. But no measurements are taken. Miss Maude Cleveland, director of the department of physical education for women, explains that physical fitness is all that is sought for women students at this university and that, as this does not depend upon biceps or bust or thigh measurements, the university will not make these measurements.

Classifying the entrants into those of exceptional, average and restricted physical efficiency and those needing corrective exercises, it is found by the department that the second class is by far the largest, but that the first class is not by any means without members. Out of 1017 entrants described in the last report there were found to be 14 of excellent general development, 636 average, 324 fair and 43 poor. There were 272 thin girls, 643 girls of average figure and 102 stout girls.

MANY RIVALS.

For various Berkeley maids as rivals of Miss Barnard and Miss Wellesley, innumerable sponsors are ready to step forward, but this only for individual cases. No one is qualified to speak generally. The claims of Miss Pearl Alward of Ridge Road are among those which have been enthusiastically urged. Miss Alward is taller than either Miss Wellesley or Miss Barnard, being five feet and six inches. Her weight is 140 pounds, her bust measurement 38 inches, and other measurements in proportion.

From the two eastern colleges whose girls have modestly admitted their measurements comes word of the averages. Miss Barnard is five feet 3.4 inches tall, or an inch and a half shorter than the Venus de Milo and half an inch shorter than Miss Wellesley. The Barnard girl's waist is 25.2 inches, which is one-tenth larger than that of Venus and quite six-tenths of an inch larger than the Wellesley average. Above the waist Venus and the Barnard girl have practically the same measurements. From neck to waist, however, the latter is one inch longer.

NOT SO SYMMETRICAL.

The lower extremities of the Barnard college girl are not so symmetrical as those of Venus. While the Wellesley girl's measurements are practically the same as those of the famous statue, the hips, thighs and ankles of the Barnard girl are respectively one inch, half an inch and four-tenths of an inch larger.

It is fair comparison with the best of these measurements the California girls believe they could make. But, alas! The university authorities decline to immortalize them.

PIONEER HAS PNEUMONIA.

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — John Coehlo, aged ninety years, one of the oldest settlers at San Pablo, is critically ill with pneumonia. Coehlo is widely known in this section of the county.

IS SHE THE PERFECT BERKELEY GIRL? MISS PEARL ALWARD, WHO IS PROPOSED BY HER FRIENDS AS POSSIBLE COMPETITOR WITH HYPOTHETICAL MISS WELLESLEY AND MISS BARNARD.—McCullagh foto.

WHAT IS DOING TODAY

Co-operative Welfare Home, open house, 828 Filbert street.

Oakland Civic Center, lesson in oratory, Hotel Oakland.

Supervisors meet.

Glenview Ladies' Club meeting.

Miss Hatty Chickering speaks, U. of C. Y. W. C. A.

Arthur C. Pillsbury lectures on "Yosemite in Pictures and Story," at the First Congregational church.

Preliminary tryouts English Club play Greek Theater, 3 p. m.

Miss Alice Hoyt speaks, Stiles Hall, U. C., 4:15 p. m.

Senior Women's Singing, Senior Women's Hall, U. of C.

University Recital, Architecture building, U. of C.

Alameda County Society for Prevention Tuberculosis, Hotel Oakland, 2 p. m.

Piedmont Parlor entertainment, Porter hall.

Berkeley Rotary Club luncheon.

Tracy Kittredge lecture, Women's Club Plymouth church, 2:30.

Board of Education meets.

Women's Bureau, Chamber of Commerce, entertains.

Prof. Bassett lectures before Rotary Club.

Auditorium, Emmy Destinn.

Macdonough—"Il Trovatore."

Orpheum—Frank Fogarty heads vaudeville bill.

Oakland—John Barrymore.

Pantages—Havermann's animals and vaudeville.

Franklin—Willard Mack.

Hippodrome—"Concealed Truth," and vaudeville.

What Is Doing Tomorrow

Arthur I. Street lectures at Jefferson school.

Fernside Recreation Club leap year party, Eagle Club House, Alameda.

Y. W. C. A. Midwinter Students' Conference.

Conference farm advisors, Hayward.

Harvey Loy organ recital, Unitarian church, Berkeley.

Varsity vs. Oregon Agricultural College, basketball, Harmon Gym.

Dr. Kuno Meyer speaks, California hall, U. of C., 8 p. m.

Boys' Berkeley Y. M. C. A. give dinner to fathers.

Prof. J. T. Allen on "Cyclops" of Euripides, North Hall, U. of C., 3 p. m.

St. Joseph's Athletic Club dance, U. P. E. C. hall.

Household section, Adelphian Club meets, Alameda.

Technical High School dance, Claremont hotel.

Pacific Camp, Royal Neighbors and Oakland Camp, Modern Woodmen joint dance, St. George's hall.

Alameda County Poultry Association meets, Y. M. C. A. building.

League of Cross Cadets' dance, Knights of Columbus hall.

TALL TIMBER HIDES MEN FROM TRIAL

Process Servers in the Delcher Case Are in Dilemma

Prominent Society Blades Have "Hurry-Up" Calls Out of City

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—An exodus of men of prominence endowed with tiking zem-zem, female society and melody is predicted for today.

Why? Oh, just because tomorrow is the date set for the hearing of the case of John Griffin Johnston, insurance broker, who is charged by Mrs. Helen Grantley Delcher with having wrecked her young life.

Naturally, John Griffin Johnston wants to be acquitted. To secure acquittal witnesses are necessary. It is related that attorneys for the accused have been interviewing the aforesaid M. of P., and that, strange to relate, nearly all of them have either professed not to have enjoyed the acquaintance of the fair complainant or else pleaded business engagements requiring their presence all the way from Yreka to San Luis Obispo, and the majority of them are said to have urged that they would be absent—for ever so long.

It is related, however, that counsel for the defendant will accept no excuses, and that today subpenas for at least fifty witnesses will be issued and placed in the hands of alert officers, who will search out the various persons needed.

Men are not alone in the peculiar positions assumed. Numerous ladies who have attended the lavish entertainments given by Mrs. Delcher are now professing not to have known her, while those who cannot evade admitting having met her socially are earnest in declaring their acquaintance was casual, simply casual, and really they were not intimately familiar.

But there is no escape for this class, either. They will be called upon to testify under oath just how much they know.

So, in order to escape appearing in the court of Police Judge Matthew Brady, it is predicted that week-end motoring parties to the rural districts will start for their destinations today, some early, others later in the afternoon.

Stevenson Essay Netted Him $100

A hitherto unpublished letter of Robert Louis Stevenson to his mother, written in 1881, last evening brought $250 at auction during the first part of the sale, being held in New York, a collection left in a legacy to Mrs. Salisbury Field, his stepdaughter, on Mrs. Stevenson's death. In the letter Stevenson tells of selling "Virginibus Puerisque" for £20.

"I could take Paul by the beard and knock his head against the wall," writes Stevenson, referring to the publisher who bought the work. He signs himself "Robert Louis Stevenson, his autograph price 2d colored, 1d plain."

George D. Smith purchased the letter. The sale consisted of the letters which Mrs. Field received from her mother, the widow of the writer. A suit was filed by Mrs. Lloyd Osbourne, her sister-in-law, in which the latter lost, and the sale proceeded. Mrs. Field, who was Isabel Strong, lived with the writer and her mother for years in Samoa and often acted as Stevenson's amanuensis. Mrs. Osbourne was not on intimate terms with the writer.

Another letter was a scrawl to Malietoa, a king in Samoa. There were other letters to his parents, to friends, and to publishers in the collection. Some were written while he was courting Mrs. Fanny Osbourne of Oakland, who later became his wife.

Chorus Girls at U. C. Too Many

Steindorff in Despair at Berkeley

BERKELEY, Feb. 17.—Chorus girls at the University of California are almost a drug on the market. Paul Steindorff, university choragus, who is directing rehearsals for the senior extravaganza, wishes, however, that he could say the same for chorus men.

Recently the call went forth for men and women students for the extravaganza's picturesque chorusos. There appeared about 150 girls and exactly ten men. Efforts are being made by the committee to drum up more of the latter and to save the feelings of a proportion of the former who cannot be used. Steindorff had even another complaint after the rehearsal in which the 160 appeared. They quote him as saying:

"The singing is worse than ever, if not as bad."

Forces Gather on U. S. Soil to Invade Mexico

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Private advices to the war department tell of an alleged plan of Mexicans on the American side of the border, particularly in California and Texas for an expedition to cross into Northern Mexico to embarrass the Carranza government. Major-General Funston, commanding the American forces on the border has been notified to take steps to prevent any violations of American neutrality.

MINISTER TO HOLD RECEPTION.

Rev. and Mrs. Bernard Ruggles will hold an "acquaintance reception" at Hotel Oakland tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock for ladies of the recently-organized Universalist Church of Oakland. Friends of the pastor and his wife, and all friends of the church will be welcomed in the Rose Room and there will be a musical program during the hours of the reception.

WEARIED OF FAMILY WOES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Following a disagreement with his bride and as the result of continued family troubles, Francis Congdon, a Southern Pacific switchman, hired a room at the Globe Hotel, 117 Folsom street, this morning and attempted suicide. He was found with a gas tube in his mouth by the landlord and sent to the Central Emergency hospital. He will recover.

DR. LYMAN IS TRAILED TO HAVANA

U. S. Secret Service Men Take Passage for Cuba

Arrest of Fugitive for $400,000 Frauds Expected

"Dr." J. Grant Lyman, sought from Oakland to Rhode Island by federal detectives for the past week, following the raiding of his "John Putnam Company," a mail mine stock scheme, has been located in Havana, it was learned by federal detectives today. Two secret service men are now on the way to Cuba to apprehend the man who drew $400,000 out of investors all over the country by cleverly written letters, and expect to have him on the way back to New York by tomorrow.

Lyman, whose record extends from Oakland to Los Angeles and from California east, is declared not only to have been head of the "Putnam Company," but to have been operating another scheme in Charleston at the same time. It was on the "Putnam" charge, however, that the federal officers sought him, after he had fled with the funds of that concern.

Louis B. Thornet, the Oakland nurse who aided him in his sensational escape from Providence hospital some time ago, and who was employed as a manager in the New York office, declares that he was only a clerk in the place, and that he accidentally met Lyman in Springfield, Mass. He asked Lyman for a job, he said, and Lyman offered him the New York position. He knows nothing, he says, about the company.

The accused financier is declared to have used the mails to induce the gullible to "invest" in mining stocks, and then to have held the funds, paying back a part in "dividends", and decamping with the remainder of the funds in his hands.

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Among the newest arrivals now ready for inspection may be mentioned the following:

Novelty stripes in assorted widths ranging from the modest ¼-inch to the very broad 4-inch effects. They are shown in two-toned and changeable styles and portray some very skillful color blendings. They are shown one yard wide. Priced from $1.50 to $3.00 the yard.

Even and broken checks are to be had in black and white, blue and white, and green and white. They are shown in full yard widths and are extremely stylish— Priced at $1.50 and $2.00 the yard.

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Silk Section—First Floor.

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Tapestry cretonnes are priced ..... 25¢ to 65¢ the yard
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Radium cloths are priced at ..... 40¢ the yard
Chintzes are priced at ..... 20¢ to 40¢ the yard
Sateens are priced ..... 20¢ to 40¢ the yard
Figured silkolines are priced 12½¢ and 17½¢ the yard

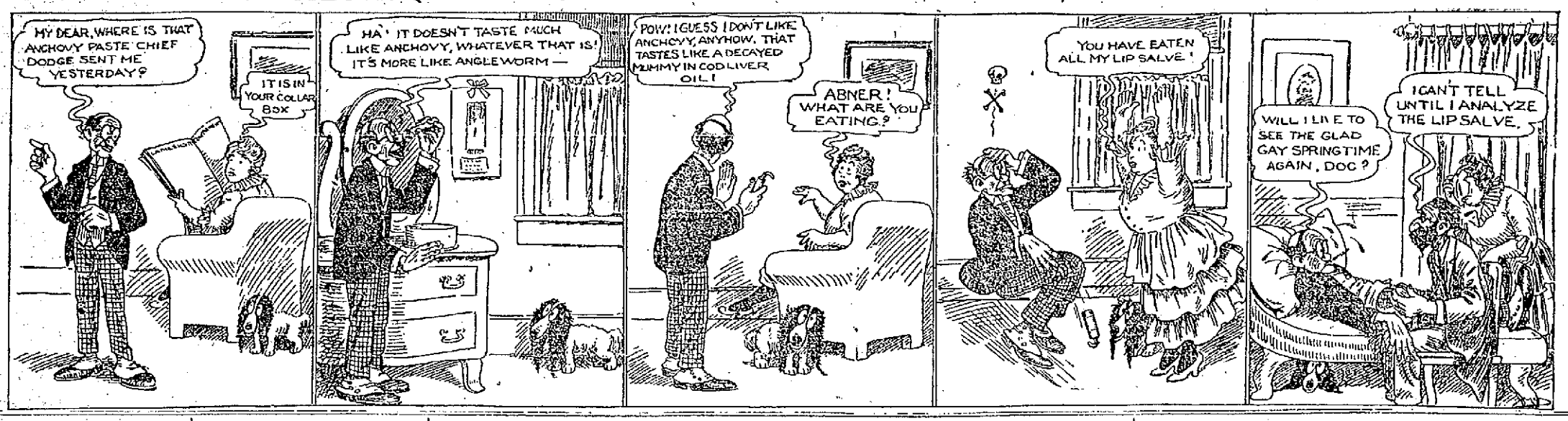
New "Sunfast" fabrics are shown in larger variety than ever before. Exquisite colorings in plain weaves and new designs in figured goods are strong features of the assortment. These are offered 50 inches wide— Priced from 95¢ to $2.50 the yard.

Drapery Section—Third Floor.

Benson Proves Himself a Game but Careless Mixer, Beating Kruvosky

ABSENT-MINDED ABNER—Even the Doc, Has to Guess in Such a Case!

By WALT McDOUGALL



GREGGAINS 'HOPE' TAKES AWFUL WALLOPING; WINS

Wheelmen Club Show Gives Fans a Taste of Real European Warfare.

George Benson, the San Francisco light heavyweight mixer, unearthed by Alex. Greggains, again showed his gameness and ability to take punishment without flinching when he won from Ed Kruvosky, the San Francisco Polish heavy after four rounds of gruelling mixing in the feature bout of the Wheelmen club last night. It was the same Benson who dropped Earle Ritchie that met Kruvosky last night. And it was the same story, too, Benson taking a terrific trouncing in the first round and then coming back in the succeeding rounds, turning the tide in his favor, and forcing his opponent to cover with damaging right swings to the jaw and sheer aggressiveness.

Benson's showing last night now places him firmer than ever in the favor of the local fans. His gameness and wonderful recuperative powers, together with his ability to deal out punishment makes up for his utter lack of skill and science. He has a bad habit of holding his opponent's head with one hand and hitting with the other. Once Benson learns how to block a punch and work a straight left, besides timing his punches, he will become a dangerous man. Last night Benson swung on his opponent while the latter was on his knees, but Referee Beaumont merely made him apologize instead of disqualifying him.

Johnny Nunes, Oakland's former lightweight crack, came back last night and won handily from Jack Davis, the fighting conductor, through the decision route. Nunes worked in his old-time form and besides boxing cleverly, mixed matters willingly at times and even excelled in that department. Johnny, just before he was forced to retire from the local game through a broken arm which put him away for nearly five months, knocked out Davis before, and it was his own fault that he did not repeat the same trick last night.

NUNES' ARM IS O. K.

Twice in the second round and once in the third, Johnny rocked Davis with solid right smashes to the jaw. But Jack was game, however, and thin, together with Nunes' inability to take advantage of this opportunity, saved Davis from a knockout.

In the third round, too, Johnny brought up a left hook to the chin which made Davis wince. The fourth round was all Nunes', too, Johnny poking left and right to the face and outpointing his tired opponent. Davis showed to good advantage, and many wanted a draw verdict, but Nunes had a shade.

Frankie Denny, Oakland's former lightweight sensation, came back last night, too, although his showing was not as creditable as Nunes', his old-time rival, he managed to stick through four terrific rounds with Jim Phillips, the Watts Traut boy who has been coming along fast of late. Denny, with his same old swinging and aggressive tactics of old, coupled with a nifty straight left, made Phillips look like a busher in the early rounds, but Frankie, substituting at the last moment, was in poor condition and too tired to continue the same gait.

PHILLIPS GETS IT.

After he had succeeded in outpunching Denny in the last two rounds, Phillips was given the decision, though one judge called it a draw. Denny's showing, however, was an impressive one and he was given a great hand by the fans. With a bit of training and proper handling, Denny will be able to trounce many of the boys now performing in these parts.

The scheduled special between Stanley Jones, the Spokane middle and "Spud" Murphy of San Francisco, ended in the first round when Murphy, falling to the mat after his feet had become entangled with those of his opponent, suffered a badly wrenched knee. Both boys were going well at the time and looked as though they would present a fine performance. Murphy fought Jones to a draw in San Francisco and a rematching of the pair would be fair to both boys.

The third comeback of the evening was made when Pete Francis, the Elmhurst lightweight, after knocking his opponent down three times in succession in the second round, took a four-round decision from Jimmy West. Francis showed that he possesses a punch, in a very willing mixer, and should be matched more regularly by the local promoters.

In the preliminaries Paddy Fitzgerald, a heavyweight "find" of Ray Carlen's, stowed Al Juvenile away in three rounds, Jack Peters won a decision from Kid Davies in a fairly interesting go, and Joe Reposa stopped Eddie Logan in the first round. Dick Adams, Bill L'Heroux and W. J. Ayre acted as judges, Gerald Beaumont refereed, and Lou Bernstein acted as timer.

CLEVELAND AMERICAN CLUB SOLD FOR $500,000

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 17.—Announcement was made last night that the Cleveland American baseball club has been sold to B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, who is holding title at present for four other persons who are the real owners.

The announcement was made by George P. Steele, representing the bankers' committee in charge of Owner C. W. Somers' financial affairs, and A. V. Cannon, attorney for Somers. The price paid for the club is said to have been $500,000, which is $80,000 less than was demanded by the bankers when the club was first put on the market.

Two of the new owners are J. C. Dunn and P. S. McCarthy, contractors of Chicago. The identity of the two other purchasers will be made public later, it was announced. Dunn and McCarthy came here with Mr. Johnson today and conferred with bankers and Mr. Somers. Following a conference last night it was announced that Mr. Johnson will take over the club property in ten days, at which time the names of the two other owners will be made public.

ENTRANTS READY FOR BIG "C" RUN

Almost all the entries are in for the Big "C" run which will be held under the auspices of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. Washington's birthday, February 22. It will be a handicap run and the start will be made from the building at 10 o'clock in the morning.

The course to be traversed is two and three-quarter miles and it is expected that Y. M. C. A. records will be broken. The meet is to be held under the direction of the physical department of which C. H. Street is director.

VETERAN RUNNER IS TAKEN BY DEATH

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—John (Kaiser) Powers, who 35 years ago was famous as a professional runner at distances from 220 to 500 yards, died last night. His greatest race was a special match at 440 yards against Ed Tisdale, at Mystic park in 1880, when he won a purse of $20,000.

Washington Expects a Winning Crew

Hopes are running high at the present time for a winning crew at the University of Washington.

Coach Hiram B. Conibear is quoted as being particularly pleased with the outlook for the coming season, as he has eight of his old letter men back again with which to form the nucleus of his combination.

These men are Walske, Brokaw, Elmer Leader, Edwin Leader, Kumm, McConihe, Cushman and Harr.

Weather conditions have been such that the work of the men has been interferred with, but the coach will order the regular grind of training to begin with as little delay as possible.

With Stanford university going east to row in the Poughkeepsie collegiate regatta, the Washington institution is particularly anxious to lower the Cardinal colors before their departure for the Hudson river classic. To win might also mean that the Washingtonians would make the trip.

TOM LONGBOAT ENLISTS.

BRANTFORD, Ont., Feb. 17. — Tom Longboat, the famous Indian runner, came to Brantford today and enlisted with the scout section of the 125th battalion. He returned to his home at Caledonia and will report for duty in a few days.

Sagebrush Team Plays U. C. Here This Evening

Here is the Sagebrush basketball team which invades this district this evening and tackles the University of California in the intercollegiate series, later playing Stanford and St. Mary's. The players are Henningsen, Trabert, McCubbin, Ballas, Stewart, Buchman, Baker, McKenzie, Lutz, Quinnn, McCarthy, Decker and Howard.

BASKETBALL

The University of California varsity basketball team will meet the University of Nevada five tonight in Harmon gymnasium. The game is a regular contest of the California and Nevada intercollegiate series. Nevada has a fast team this season and the sagebrush lads expect to give the varsity a hard argument.

California and Oregon will come together in the Pacific coast conference basketball tournament tomorrow night and again on Saturday. These two teams are now tied for leadership in the league, each having won four and lost two games. On its trip north California won one game from Oregon and lost the other.

The Oregon games are regarded by the California players as their most important contests and the blue and gold will reserve its strongest lineup for them.

AENIX FIVE WIN THREE.

The Aenix five added three more to the victim column in the last couple of weeks. The latest were three of the crack fives of the bay district. The first victim was the fast Jovial five from San Francisco. The Jovials put up a good scrap but the Aenix were too fast, running up thirty-eight points while the Jovials were annexing thirty-three.

The next was the already wounded Tech high team. Being the second game with Tech, it was a battle for blood, and it was some game. At half time the Aenix were one point ahead. The second half ended 38-38. After ten minutes more play it ended in another deadlock, 48-48. The game was then continued for five minutes, ending in a victory for Aenix. Score 54 to 49. This is the second defeat Tech suffered from the Aenix. Fabry and Saulpaugh starred for the Aenix while Lawson and Effelston starred for Tech.

The third victim was the crack St. Ambrose team. This being the St. Ambrose's return game it was booked for quite a battle, but, merciful innocence, it was a slaughter. The Aenix five piled through their trenches like a torpedo into a battleship. The final score was 64-25. The Aenix team work was again at the front. Individually on collectively the team is hard to beat. Boyer, Mayers and Spencer are guards whose defense is hard to knock down, while Cato at center is hard to equal.

As forwards the Aenix has two of the best in Fabry and Saulpaugh. The goals scored: Boyer 6, Saulpaugh 13, Cate 7, Fabry 5. Fouls, Saulpaugh 2. Teams wanting games call C. Spencer, Oakland 6725.

The Oregon Agricultural college basketball team arrived here today ready to meet the University of California baskets tomorrow and Saturday night. The Beavers also have a game scheduled with the Stanford university quintet.

If the seemingly inevitable slump that always follows a string of victories does not set in before the Berkeley players are met, the northerners' chances for the championship seem exceptionally bright. Members of the University of Washington team, that played two games against Oregon immediately following a two game series with the Bears, intimated that the Orange and Black would have little difficulty in tucking away two wins from the Californians, providing the same brand of ball was played against them as displayed in the Washington games.

The Cardinal five of Stanford university have not shown much in the basketball line this year and those games should be easy ones for the Aggies.

Eight men and Coach Stewart are making the trip. The men Doc. is taking are Captain Delbert, Mix, Roy, Blagg, Johns, Friedman, Blakeley and Kathan. The Aggie mentor is leaving Lowe, a freshman, behind, as Pacific coast conference rules prohibit the playing of freshmen in conference games.

The Beaver basket tossers are now tied with California for first place honors in the Pacific coast conference title race, and the locals' chances for the pennant rest entirely on their showing in the two games at Berkeley.

After taking a 26 to 24 defeat two weeks ago at the hands of the St. Joseph's Sodality quintet, the Ambrose Tailors basketball team came back Tuesday night and handed the same team a 36 to 20 defeat. The Sodality team had their best players on the court and it was only after a hard struggle that the Tailors won. Both teams played for all they were worth in the first half and the score was held down to 8 to 7 in favor of St. Joseph's. Until the last ten minutes of play the teams were about even, but after that the Ambrose team spurted and walked away from their opponents.

The brilliant work of Boyle, Bocchio, Starasinich and Baldwin featured. This combination rolled up all the points for the winners. Bills and Girsh played the best for the Sodality team.

The lineups were: Ambrose Tailors: Baldwin and Starashich, forwards; Bocchio, center; Boyle, Kraft and Martin, guards. St. Joseph's: Bills and Girsh, forwards; Murray, center; Best, End and Bucher, guards.

Berkeley high again showed its athletic supremacy yesterday afternoon when its basketball team defeated Oakland Technical high school, 31 to 15. Ability to shoot baskets and a marvelous amount of team work paved the way for Berkeley's overwhelming victory, and the Alameda county athletic league championship as well. Billy (Pickles) Horstman was the star of the day.

Horstman accounted for seven baskets, fourteen points all told. He scored his goals by breaking through the defense of the king of guards, Vinnie Irish, Tech. captain.

A crowd of over 2500, which taxed Harmon gym, University of California, to its capacity, witnessed the downfall of Tech. Almost two-thirds of that number were loyal Technites, too, and though they rooted hard and yelled their loudest, they couldn't turn the tide. It was simply a case of a wonderful offensive team working against a hard working defensive aggregation, and of course, the former won.

The lineups follow:

Berkeley: Forwards, Horstman, Montgomery; center, Nevin, captain; guards, Peterson (Mayheck), Frunk.

Tech.: Forwards, Lawson (Bush), Eggleston (Street); center, Jordan (Clement); guards, Irish, captain; Miller.

Referee, Cherrington.

Goals scored by Horstman 7, Nevin 2, Frunk 2, Montgomery 2, Miller 4, Irish 1, Eggleston 1, Lawson 1. Foul goals scored by Frunk 5, Lawson 1.

MURPHY IN FORM.

The Money Back Smiths opened the season by defeating the Stachler club of Watts Trust, by the score of 8 to 1. Murphy, formerly of the San Leandro Merchants, pitched for the Smiths and let them down with two lone hits and whiffed sixteen men. Some farm for a pitcher to show so early in the season.

The Smiths started the trouble in the first inning when they knocked Lockie out of the box. Miller went to the rescue but got the same punishment and then Loftarvue appeared on the mound and was treated to the third and last dose of the bombarding.

Christensen played a bang up game at second, accepting twelve chances without a boot and poked one for an extra clout.

QUESTION BOX

To the Sporting Editor: Kindly settle a wager by telling me where Dickie Ward killed Kelley. Was it on the old Bay District or Emeryville track in the spring of '94 (about)? A. W.

The incident occurred on the old Bay District track in San Francisco in either '92 or '93. Ward was a jockey and Kelley a stable boy. The murder was committed with a pitchfork.

Cash Poster Prize Is Offered for Tourney

Young Artists of Oakland Have Chance to Show Skill

With contracts for the auditorium signed, committees appointed, tickets and advertising literature ordered, and a tentative program outlined, the first annual amateur athletic tournament to be staged indoors in Oakland, is rapidly materializing. There is every indication that the evening of Tuesday, March 7, will record the most novel carnival the Oakland Auditorium has yet witnessed.

The executive committee headed by George Dickie, superintendent of the recreational activities in the public schools of the city, authorized the announcement today that a cash prize of $25 would be given for the best poster to advertise the event. This should draw forth a flood of clever designs, as the event is unique and offers admirable opportunities to clever art students in the schools of Oakland.

Chief of Police Woods, and Fire Chief Whitehead have each entered into the program plans with enthusiasm and are preparing rules and regulations for a tug of war that night between two picked teams from their respective departments. The policemen being heavier than the fire laddies, some sort of a weight limit is to be fixed so as to make the contest thoroughly fair. Chief Whitehead will also show some fancy stunts in rope climbing and wall scaling by a picked team of firemen, and will exemplify the use of the life nets.

Chief of Police Woods has promised to send that night his famous women's basketball team made up of police officers in feminine attire. The "act" is said to be the funniest thing in its line ever conceived.

William L'Heureux, national amateur heavyweight champion, today notified the program committee that he would gladly box that night against any opponent selected to meet him. L'Heureux will be a big card as he has never been seen in action over here at a public affair.

CALL IS MADE FOR PRIZE POSTER

The executive committee in charge of the arrangements for the first Oakland Annual Amateur Athletic Carnival to be held in the arena of the Oakland Municipal Auditorium Tuesday evening, March 7th, has announced a poster contest in connection with the event.

A prize of $25 is offered for the best poster in three colors, representing the athletic carnival. The posters must be submitted to C. E. Martin, secretary of the committee, Oakland Y. M. C. A., not later than Wednesday, February 23d. A poster committee will judge the offerings, which must be submitted by amateur artists of Alameda county.

The posters must be so drawn that they will allow for the following wording: "Oakland's First Annual Amateur Athletic Carnival, Municipal Auditorium Arena, Tuesday evening, March 7, 1916. General Admission, 25 and 50 cents."

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Bernsteins defeated the Eureka club last Sunday to the tune of 14-5 in a game featured by heavy hitting on both sides. Little Bill Freitas pitched a fine game and held the Eurekas scoreless for seven innings. The losers scored two in the eighth and three in the ninth. The score:

BERNSTEIN'S.	R.	H.	E.	EUREKA CLUB.	R.	H.	E.
H. Camara, 1b	3	2	1	Phillips, 1b	1	3	0
Rezo, 3b	2	3	0	F. Lewis, c	0	0	1
Souza, c	0	2	0	Gerhow, p.-s.	1	2	1
Camiel, s.	0	1	0	Magness, lf	1	2	0
M. Camara, c.	1	0	1	Martin, s.-p.	0	1	1
Freitas, p	2	2	0	Jackens, 3b	0	0	1
Costa, 2b	2	2	1	McMullers, rf	1	2	0
Jordao, lf	2	2	0	D. Lewis, 2b	0	1	1
Santos, rf	2	0	0	Almeida, cf	1	0	0
Totals	14	14	4	Totals	5	11	5

Summary: Struck out—By Freitas 6, by Gerhow 3, by Martin 8. First base on balls—Off Freitas 1, off Gerhow 4, off Martin 3. Three-base hit—Camara. Two-base hit—Gerhow.

OLYMPIC BOXERS TO CLASH FEB. 25

Boxing instructor George Green of the Olympic club has finally arranged his boxing program for the evening of February 25 when the members of the Post street institution will be invited to witness a set of exhibition bouts. Pat L'Heureux, Oakland's champion heavyweight of the world, will be unable to compete owing to an injury to his knee suffered at Truckee. Following is the card:

115 pounds—William Counsting vs. Al Walker, William Schiller vs. E. Watson, R. O'Meara vs. E. Barrett, Al Brodosky vs. Charles O'Malley.

126 pounds—Ray Rose vs. Frank Cuneo, Billy Hughes vs. G. Contes.

140 pounds—R. Jensen vs. Joe King, George Locke vs. Mike Hayes.

146 pounds—L. Molinari vs. Fred Murphy, Johnny Stanton vs. Kid Nelson.

145 pounds—Ben Wilder vs. Charles Askins, Gus de Ligionis vs. J. Baker.

158 pounds—Harold Eminal vs. Harold Jamieson.

165 pounds—Rudy Haake vs. M. Wolgast.

The Polytechnic Business college has organized a baseball team for the season and therefore issue a challenge to the colleges and high schools of the bay cities. Address all communications to Theo. J. Hoffmann, baseball manager, 486 Forty-third street, Oakland.

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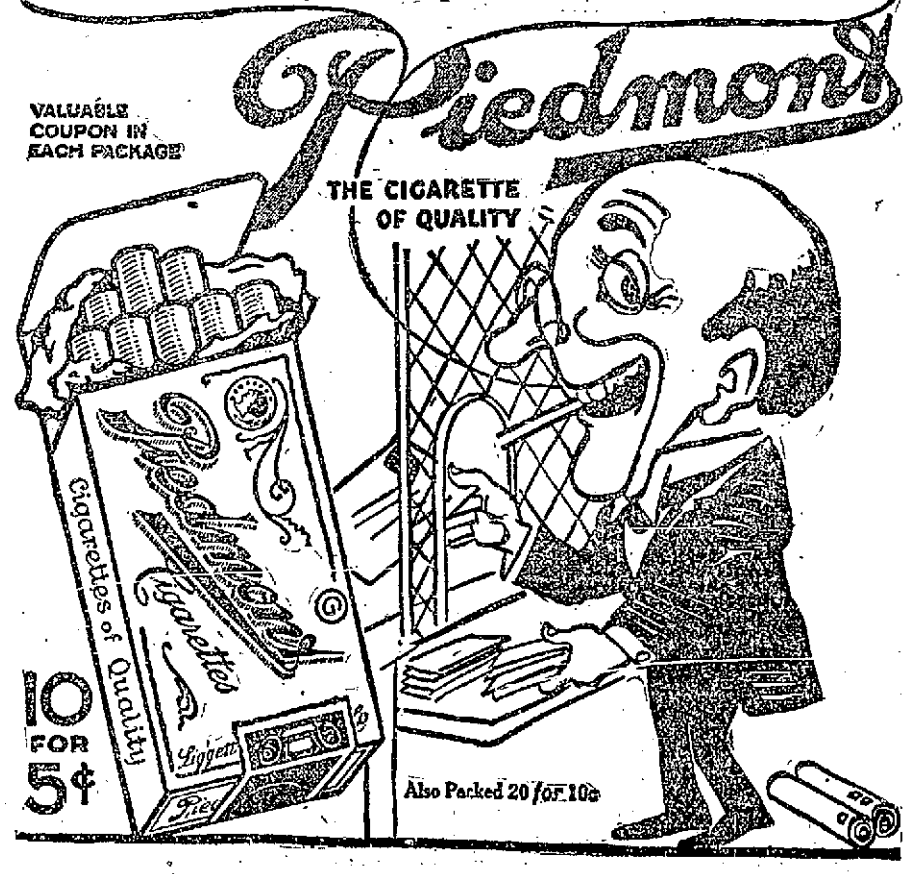

OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1916

	AT CHICAGO	AT ST. LOUIS	AT DETROIT	AT CLEVELAND	AT WASHINGTON	AT PHILADELPHIA	AT NEW YORK	AT BOSTON	ABROAD
CHICAGO	The	April 29, 30 May 1, 2 June 20, 21, 22, 24 Sept. 3, (4), (4)	April 20, 21, 22, 23 May (30), (30), 31 June 1, July 23, 24 Sept. 2.	April 25, 26, 27, 28 June 26, 27, 28 Sept. 28, 29, 30 Oct. 1	May 22, 23, 24, 25 July 19, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May 18, 19, 20 July 14, 15, 17, 18 Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31	May 9, 10, 11, 12 July 6, 7, 8 Aug. 19, 21, 22, 23	May 13, 15, 16, 17 July 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 16, 17, 18	Decoration Day at Detroit Labor Day at St. Louis
ST. LOUIS	April 16, 17, 18, 19 July 3, (4) (4) Sept. 10, 11, 12, 13.	Tribune	May 4, 5, 6, 7 May 27, 28, 29 Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9	April 12, 13, 14, 15 June 29, 30, July 1, 2 July 23 Aug. 13, Sept. 2	May 9, 10, 11, 12 July 6, 7, 8 Aug. 19, 21, 22, 23	May 13, 15, 16, 17 July 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 16, 17, 18	May 22, 23, 24, 25 July 19, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May 18, 19, 20 July 14, 15, 17, 18 Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31	July 4 at Chicago
DETROIT	April 12, 13, 14, 15 June 29, 30 July 1, 2 Aug. 11, 12, 13	April 25, 26, 27, 28 June 25, 26, 27, 28 Sept. 29, 30 Oct. 1	Will	April 16, 17, 18, 19 July 3, (4), (4) Aug. 14 Sept. 10, 11, 12	May 13, 15, 16, 17 July 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 16, 17, 18	May 9, 10, 11, 12 July 6, 7, 8 Aug. 19, 21, 22, 23	May 18, 19, 20 July 14, 15, 17, 18 Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31	May 22, 23, 24, 25 July 19, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 24, 25, 26	July 4 at Cleveland
CLEVELAND	May 4, 5, 6, 7 May 27, 28 June 25 Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9	April 20, 21, 22, 23 May (30), (30), 31 June 1, 2 Aug. 11, 12	April 29, 30 May 1, 2 June 20, 21, 22, 24 Sept. 3, (4), (4)	Print	May 18, 19, 20 July 14, 15, 17, 18 Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31	May 22, 23, 24, 25 July 19, 20, 21, 22 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May 13, 15, 16, 17 July 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 16, 17, 18	May 9, 10, 11, 12 July 6, 7, 8 Aug. 19, 21, 22, 23	Decoration Day at St. Louis Labor Day at Detroit
WASHINGTON	June 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 Aug. 3, 4, 5, 6 Sept. 14, 15	June 15, 16, 17, 18 Aug. 7, 8, 9, 10 Sept. 16, 17, 18	June 3, 4, 5 July 25, 26, 27, 28 Sept. 22, 23, 24, 25	June 6, 7, 8, 9 July 29, 30, 31 Aug. 1 Sept. 19, 20, 21	Reports	May 4, 5, 6, 8 June 20, 21, 22 Sept. 27, 28, 29, 30	April 12, 13, 14, 16 June 23, 24, 26, 27 Oct. 2, 3, 4	April 17, 18, (19), (19) May (30), (30), 31 June 1 Aug. 12, 14, 15	April 19 at Boston Decoration Day at Boston
PHILADELPHIA	June 6, 7, 8, 9 July 29, 30, 31 Aug. 1 Sept. 19, 20, 21	June 3, 4, 5 July 25, 26, 27, 28 Sept. 22, 23, 24, 25	June 15, 16, 17, 18 Aug. 7, 8, 9, 10 Sept. 16, 17, 18	June 10, 11, 12, 13 Aug. 3, 4, 5, 6 Sept. 13, 14, 15	April 25, 26, 27, 28 May 26, 27, 29 Sept. 1, 2, (4), (4)	on	April 17, 18, 19 May (30), (30), 31 June 1 Aug. 12, 12, 14, 15	April 12, 13, 14, 15 June 23, 24, 26, 27 Oct. 2, 3, 4	Decoration Day at New York Labor Day at Washington
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AT HOME	13 Saturdays 14 Sundays. July 4th. Conflicting Dates May 7, June 25, Sept. 10.	12 Saturdays. 12 Sundays. Decoration Day. Labor Day.	14 Saturdays. 13 Sundays. Decoration Day. Labor Day.	11 Saturdays. 13 Sundays. July 4th.	13 Saturdays. July 4. Labor Day.	13 Saturdays. July 4.	12 Saturdays. Decoration Day. Labor Day.	12 Saturdays. April 19. Decoration Day.	Games

Pat Callahan Signs To Pitch for Oakland

'Babe' Danzig Writes He Is in Fine Condition; Baseball Gossip

Pat Callahan, the southpaw twirler secured from Vancouver, has sent in his signed contract, which releases all doubt as to the probability that he will retire from the game and go into business, as was announced a while back. Callahan was with the Beavers a while last year, but McCredie sent him to the Vancouver club, where he twirled fine ball.

"Babe" Danzig, one of the trio of Oak first sackers who will fight it out for the job at Boyes, writes that he is in fine shape and thoroughly able to put up a stiff contest for the job of regular Oak first sacker. Babe has recovered from the illness which forced him to retire from the game.

Practically Cliff Blankenship's whole infield and two-thirds of the Bee outfield, together with Pitcher Bart Hall, one of his most dependable moundsmen, have not signed Salt Lake contracts yet, and judging from recent report from the Utah metropolis, Blankenship is going to find matters kind of stormy before he succeeds in signing either of the above bunch.

Besides Bunny Bref, the former White Sox and the best batter in the league last year, both Morris Rath, second sacker, and Jimmy Breton, third baseman, secured from the White Sox, are kicking over the terms offered them. This trio, together with Tommy Quinlan and Jimmy Shinn, outfielders, and Bert Hall, slabster, gives Blankenship six men on the outside.

Blank figures to find plenty of troubles with these men. Bref, Breton and Quinlan all pulled down big salary chunks from Charley Comiskey last year and won't stand for any big cuts. Rath is quite a card in the American Association and can be used to advantage by many of the clubs, so he too wants a fairly stout salary.

Jimmy Johnston, the last year Oak outfield star, is apparently going to be involved in another big league rumpus. Jimmy has refused to sign a Brooklyn contract on the grounds that President Ebbets of the Dodgers should assume the same contract which existed when he signed with the Feds. Ebbets, however, offered Johnston a contract containing a ten days' release clause and naming a salary lower than he was to receive under the Fed contract.

President Dave Fultz of the Players' Fraternity is behind Johnston in the case and claims that the proposal made to Jimmy Ebbets violated the "peace agreement" which forces a club to take over the same contract as the one which was assumed by the Feds in taking over a Fed player. The case will be decided by the National Commission.

Rowdy Elliott, the Oak pilot, wrote to Tony Blanco, the former St. Mary's College and at present a Vallejo baseball star, asking Tony to organize a team to play practice games with the Oaks at Boyes. Blanco has turned the matter over to the manager of the United States marine team, and it is probable that the latter organization will be matched against the Oaks in one of the spring practice games.

Clyde Wares, the clever little shortstopper, who starred on Oakland's infield under Harry Wolverton when Boss Harry first made his entrance in this league and who went up to the St. Louis Americans from the Oaks, has been heard from. Clyde has written to "Rowdy" Elliott asking for a job with the Oaks, but it seems that with both Bobby Davis and Joe Burg on hand, Rowdy can't use him. Wares managed the Wichita team of the Western League last year until that organization went on the rocks and finished the season in the International League.

Local fans are inclined to doubt whether Elliott and Griffith will be able to do all the catching for the Oaks this year and they expect either Frank Elliott, the youngster, or Droulette to be kept regularly throughout the year.

Most of the other clubs will maintain a trio of backstops contrary to earlier plans. Honus Mitze is to be kept by Vernon, together with Spencer and Bert Whaling.

Los Angeles will have Brooks, Wallace and Hassler.

THE SPORTING MIRROR

Pertinent Comment and Gossip

Tramping down a street in San Francisco the other day I happened to see a sign which read:

"Dan O'Leary will walk a hundred miles in a hundred hours commencing Saturday night."

Ye Gods and little fishes, thought I, is this the old Dan; the Dan who drew thousands to Madison Square Garden, in New York; the Dan who was known and beloved by every man and boy in Chicago; the Dan who took the measure of English and French and Americans alike; the Dan whose fame spread all over the world and who as a pedestrian had no real peer or rival.

Yea, verily, and then some, this was the same old Dan.

I knew it as soon as I saw the old O'Leary stride and the old O'Leary swing of the head and shoulders.

The sight of the gray haired veteran brought back to memory the glorious days of pedestrianism.

The stars then were O'Leary, Cartwright, Rowell, Gilman, the Guerreros, old man Campana, Ryan and Keating.

And of all this lot O'Leary was the one particular star that America shood by. From the frozen north to the sunkissed south, from the effete east to the golden west his name and fame were known.

Instead of wearing a pair of worn out suspenders to hold up his trousers as he does now he then had a diamond belt.

He had won it in contests with Weston, Cartwright and they and the rest of the world took off their hats to him.

Those were the days when walking was considered a glorious sport.

Those were the days when every little boy thought he would just love to grow up to be a great pedestrian.

Those were the days when a walk around the block after dark was considered some sport, believe me.

But the bottom fell out when the industrial conditions made pedestrians out of half the people of the world.

They had to walk to find a job and when they found one they had to still keep moving.

This made them sore on pedestrianism and pedestrians and they have been that way ever since.

But O'Leary never quit with the rest. He just kept on walking and walking. He walked all the way from Chicago to the coast, over hill and dale and mountain and deserts he came with the old O'Leary swing and stride.

His hair is as gray as a badger's and there is a big bald spot on the top of his head but the old O'Leary eyes and spirit are still there.

Long, long ago he passed the three score and ten allotted to man but he is as nimble of foot as a dancing master and as spry as a college athlete.

"You can fool some of the people some of the time but you can't fool all of the people all of the time," said O'Leary as he stopped in his walk to shake the hand of an old friend.

"For example I couldn't fool you. You remember the old Dan, the boy who beat the world in the world's championship match held so long ago in the old Armory on the Chicago lake front. You recall Parson Davies who managed the big match and the banquet he and his friends gave me that night.

"You remember other nights when I won at Madison Square with all the world against me and I'm just as good today as I was then. Yes, I know I ought to have my million and be in better business now. But then again if I hadn't kept on walking and getting rid of my money I mightn't have been here to tell how it happened.

"As it is at an age when most men have retired to their graves I am well, active and hearty and as happy as the day is long. That's what pedestrianism has done for me. So let it go at that."

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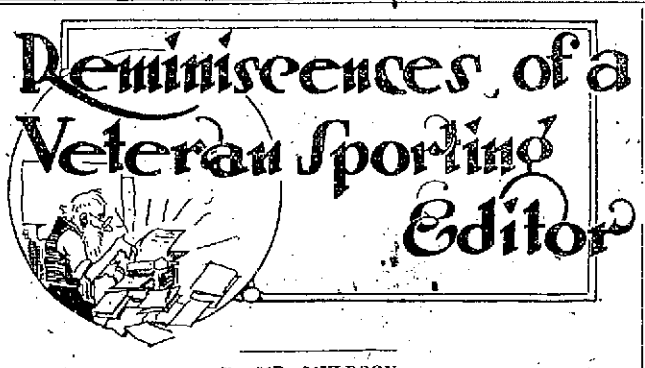

By MR. MULDOON.

Wrestling is another of the lost arts.

Time was when it was the leader in the entire curriculum of sport.

Now nobody cares for wrestling and it is considered about as interesting as checkers or croquet.

Of course the men of the mat just hate to give up and go to work, but the sport is dead and they have found it out.

Time was when the professional wrestler was a great man in the field of sport.

Even away back in the time of Richard, the lion-hearted, when the sporting spirit animated merry England, wrestling was never omitted from the program of the semi-occasional jousting.

Nero had his wrestler and there was the same kind of sport in the time of King David.

Fifty years ago France, Russia, Norway, Japan, China and other countries had added wrestling to their form of general athletics and created champions who came to this country and challenged our wrestling champions.

This aroused interest in the game on this side and soon a band of mighty wrestlers sprang up who stood ready to give the best of the men from the older countries a trial at Graeco-Roman, catch-as-catch-can, collar and elbow or any other style of wrestling.

In the early 80s America threw down the gauntlet and claimed to own the most wonderful galaxy of star wrestlers in the known world.

In the list were William Muldoon, once a New York policeman and at this time possessing a name and reputation with which to conjure.

Sporting writers called him "the noblest Roman of them all," and he was, perhaps, the finest formed man ever seen in an American arena.

He was so handsome that when Modjeska, the Russian actress, laid eyes on him she fell in love with him and immediately employed him to take the part of "Charles the Wrestler" in the play of "As You Like It," in which she was then appearing.

Contemporaneous with Muldoon were Clarence Whistler, a wild westerner, the only man then living fit and able to give Muldoon an argument.

Whistler when off the stage carried a gun and a bowie knife and he would brandish these before Muldoon and threaten to kill him if he did not wrestle lightly.

Muldoon by nature was the stronger of the two for he was always in condition while Whistler was seldom outside the influence of liquor.

But Muldoon feared Whistler as he did the devil and although the firm of Muldoon and Whistler coined money, Muldoon was always uncomfortable while the partnership lasted.

Of the champions who came from other countries in the 80s to cross arms with Muldoon, Whistler and the rest of the American contingent, were Theodore Bauer, the Russian giant; Matsada Sorakischi, the Japanese champion; Andre Christot, the little French giant; Duncan C. Ross, the Scotch wrestler; Tom Connor, England's champion collar and elbow wrestler; Tom Gannon, England's best all round wrestler, and Edwin Bibby, the English champion at Graeco-Roman.

I saw all these men wrestle at various times, but Muldoon was always the master. Of the entire company of great wrestlers at that time there was not one to compare with Muldoon in splendid looks, in wonderful stature and magnificent muscle and strength.

Bauer, the Russian giant, came nearest to him, but it was only in height that Bauer possessed an advantage.

I recall a bout in which the two were the principals and I thought they were doing their level best but happening behind the scenes between falls I heard Bauer say to Muldoon:

"If you want me to go on, Mul, you'll have to throw me lighter than you did then. If you don't I'll never go on with you again."

Then, for the first time, I discovered that the entire game of wrestling was rotten.

Later I learned more about it but this was my first awakening.

Of all the wrestlers in the world I had looked on as being worthy of esteem and confidence, Muldoon appeared in my eyes the worthiest and squarest of the lot, and now even that dream was shattered.

I could go on forever telling of fake matches but space will not permit.

The blow that killed all that was left of the game was dealt at Chicago when Frank Gotch of Humboldt, Iowa, who then called himself the champion wrestler of the world, met George Hackenschmidt of Dorpat, Russia, who styled himself European champion.

The contest was brought off in the American league park in Chicago on September 4, 1911. The conditions were catch-as-catch-can, best two out of three falls, pin falls only to count.

Before the match both men announced that they were in the pink of condition and 30,000 persons paid to see what they believed was to be a bona fide contest.

The total gate receipts were $57,053.

Gotch received $21,000 in cash and fifty per cent of the moving picture profits. Hackenschmidt received $13,500 and Jack Curley, then manager for Hackenschmidt, got $20,937 for his share.

The Empire Athletic Club, under whose auspices the bout was brought off, received $3250 and a share of the moving picture profits.

The public which had paid this fearful price saw an alleged wrestling match that lasted 19 minutes and 50 2-5 seconds. It was a farce from beginning to end.

Almost at the very beginning Gotch, with a reverse body hold, threw Hackenschmidt down and in 14 minutes and 18 1-5 seconds had his back pinned to the floor.

In the second and last fall Gotch secured a toe hold and in 5 minutes and 32 1-5 seconds he had the Russian giant on his back again.

Hooted and reviled for his miserable showing, Hackenschmidt gave as an excuse an injury to his knee which he claimed to have received in training.

But his earlier statements gave the lie to this theory and the Chicago newspapers and the Chicago public lampooned him and all who were connected with the affair.

It was the end forever of public wrestling matches in Chicago, an awful blow, for up to that time Chicago had been the head center and chief source of revenue of the entire wrestling fraternity.

OREGON DEFEATS STANFORD.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 17. — Oregon Agricultural college defeated the Stanford varsity at basketball last night, 28 to 10. At half time the score favored the Aggies by 17 to 8. The lineups:

Oregon Agricultural college—Seiberts and Ray, forwards; Blagg, center; Mix and Johns, guards.

Stanford—Blodgett, Worthy and Watson, forwards; Wheatley and Wallace, center; Dolan and Caughey, guards.

KLAWITTER IS GIVEN FINE WORK-OUT

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 17. — The Ambrose Tailors defeated the Stanford varsity yesterday afternoon. The score was 5 to 3. Dutch Klawitter fanned eight, working five innings of the eight frames played. He allowed two runs, one of which was a homer by Stevens. The Ambrose boys gathered four runs in the second inning and one in the eighth.

Stearns, Elodt and Murlani hit hardest for the visitors. Stevens starred for Stanford.

The Stanford freshmen defeated Manzanita school of Palo Alto 13 to 0 on the outside diamond. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Ambrose Tailors	5	10	6
Stanford University	3	7	2

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK.

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN, that on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1916, the Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 12073 N. S., to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

That all the following described part or portion of Excelsior Avenue, a street within the bounds of said City of Oakland, be closed up and abandoned, to-wit:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant eighty (80) feet northeasterly (measured radially) from the southwesterly line of Excelsior Avenue, as said Excelsior Avenue is delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled, "Plat showing lands to be taken for and district to be assessed to pay the expenses of widening and opening Excelsior Avenue, in the City of Oakland," etc., and filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California, April 16, 1914, and the southwesterly line of that certain piece or parcel of land heretofore conveyed by the Real Estate Combine to The Realty Syndicate by deed dated September 26, 1895, and recorded in Liber 586 of Deeds, at page 463, Records of Alameda County, California; and running thence along said southwesterly line of lands conveyed to The Realty Syndicate, south 67° 52' 50" east one hundred thirty-nine and 98-100 (139.98) feet to the southwesterly line of Lot No. 1 of the Watson 24-Acre Tract, as said lot is delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled, "Map of the 24-Acre Tract of the Est. of John B. Watson Brooklyn Tp., Alameda Co., Cal.," etc., and filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California, September 11, 1891; thence leaving said southwesterly line of lands conveyed to The Realty Syndicate and along said southwesterly line of said Lot No. 1, south 21° 32' 50" east one hundred sixty-seven and 7-100 (167.07) feet to the point of intersection thereof with said line drawn parallel to the southwesterly line of Excelsior Avenue; thence leaving said southwesterly line of said Lot No. 1, and two hundred eighty-three and 91-100 (283.91) feet northwesterly along said line drawn parallel to the southwesterly line of Excelsior Avenue, on the arc of a curve to the left, the radius of which curve is eight hundred twenty-six and 25-100 (826.25) feet, and the chord of which arc bears north 42° 33' 05" west, to the point of beginning;

Being a portion of Excelsior Avenue as said avenue is delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled, "Map of Loma Vista Tract, Oakland, Calif.," etc., and filed in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 11th day of January, 1908;

That said Council of said City of Oakland hereby declares its intention to close up and abandon the above described part or portion of said Excelsior Avenue;

That the land deemed necessary to be taken for the aforesaid work and improvement is hereby declared to be the land lying within the boundaries of the above described part or portion of said Excelsior Avenue to be closed up and abandoned, as aforesaid:

That the exterior boundary lines of the district of land to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof are as follows, to-wit:

Bounded on the west by the center line of Haddon Road, formerly Kelly Avenue; on the south by the center line of Excelsior Avenue; on the east by the center line, produced northerly, of that portion of Spruce street that lies between Cleveland street and Excelsior Avenue; and on the north by a line parallel to and distant, measured at right angles, three hundred (300) feet northerly from the northern line of Excelsior Avenue;

Being a district of land in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

All of the aforesaid improvement shall be done in accordance with the provisions of an act of the legislature of the State of California entitled, "An Act to provide for laying out, opening, extending, widening, straightening, or closing up in whole or in part any street, square, lane, alley, court, or place within municipalities, and to condemn and acquire any and all land and property necessary or convenient for that purpose," approved March 6, 1889, and the several acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to Resolution of Intention Number 12073 N. S., for the above described work, on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for ten days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said Council for such publication.

Oakland, California, February 5th, 1916.

PERRY F. BROWN,
Superintendent of Streets and Ex-officio City Engineer of the City of Oakland.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

HIGHGATE PARK LAND COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, Room 510 Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland, California.

NOTICE.

There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 5th day of January, 1916, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name.	No. of Certificate.	No. of Shares.	Amt.
Curry, Henry J.	49	5,000	$ 325.00
Crooks, Francis M.	88	500	32.50
Gay, Sophie J.	59	3,000	195.00
Hinsdale, Lester J.	8	1,000	65.00
Hinsdale, Lester J.	100	500	32.50
Harrison, Ralph	69	500	32.50
Jones, Henry T.	79	250	16.25
Knowles, Thomas	44	2,500	162.50
Lynn, Mary M.	111	1,000	65.00
Lynn, E. M.	2	5	.32
Lynn, E. M.	37	15,000	975.00
Lynn, E. M.	112	6,000	390.00
Lynn, E. M.	137	1,000	65.00
Lynn, E. M.	144	850	55.25
Murray, Geo. W.	54	500	32.50
Moore, E. A.	42	1,500	97.50
Mathews, Katie A.	67	2,300	149.50
Shannon, W. W.	142	2,600	169.00
Sieber, Chris	62	1,000	65.00
Strauss, Bernice B.	103	500	32.50
Tormey, John P.	113	2,400	156.00
Tormey, Leo J.	114	400	26.00
Tormey, May H.	115	400	26.00
Tormey, May H.	124	400	26.00
Tormey, Louise A.	138	200	13.00
Tormey, Robert S.	139	200	13.00
Tormey, Linus J.	118	400	26.00
Tormey, Verda E.	119	400	26.00
Tormey, Ruth A.	120	400	26.00
Ward, Clarence R.	6	5,000	325.00
Woodward, F. J.	3	5	.33
Woodward, F. J.	94	3,390	220.35
Woodward, F. J.	96	1,349	87.68
Woodward, F. J.	122	16,285	1058.52
Woodward, F. J.	123	6,500	422.50
Woodward, F. J.	127	1,250	81.25
Weinstock, Harris	31	1,000	65.00
Werner, Charles A.	143	100	6.50

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors made February 9th, 1916, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at the office of said HIGHGATE PARK LAND COMPANY at Room 510 Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland, California, on the 28th day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

SAMUEL A. MYHRE,
Secretary, Highgate Park Land Company, Room 510 Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland, California.

I have bought the Alfred and Bertha Berg, located at 1735 Russell street, Berkeley, California, and am in no way responsible for any debts or obligations contracted thereon by former owners. All outstanding bills must be presented on or before February 19, 1916.

Signed: LAURA A. TURNEY.

I have bought the grocery and saloon business of A. Johnson, located at Russell, Cal., who will collect all outstanding accounts and pay any indebtedness contracted prior to February 8, 1916.

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11:30A	Sacramento, Pittsburg, Chico & Way.
1:00P	Sacramento, Pittsburg, Chico & Way.
3:30P	Sacramento, Dixon, Pitsb., Bay Point.
4:30P	Concord, Diablo and Way Stations.
6:00P	Pittsburg, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville, Chico, Colusa, Observ. Car
5:50P	Pittsburg, Diablo, Way, ex. Sunday.
8:30P	Sacramento, Pittsburg and Way.

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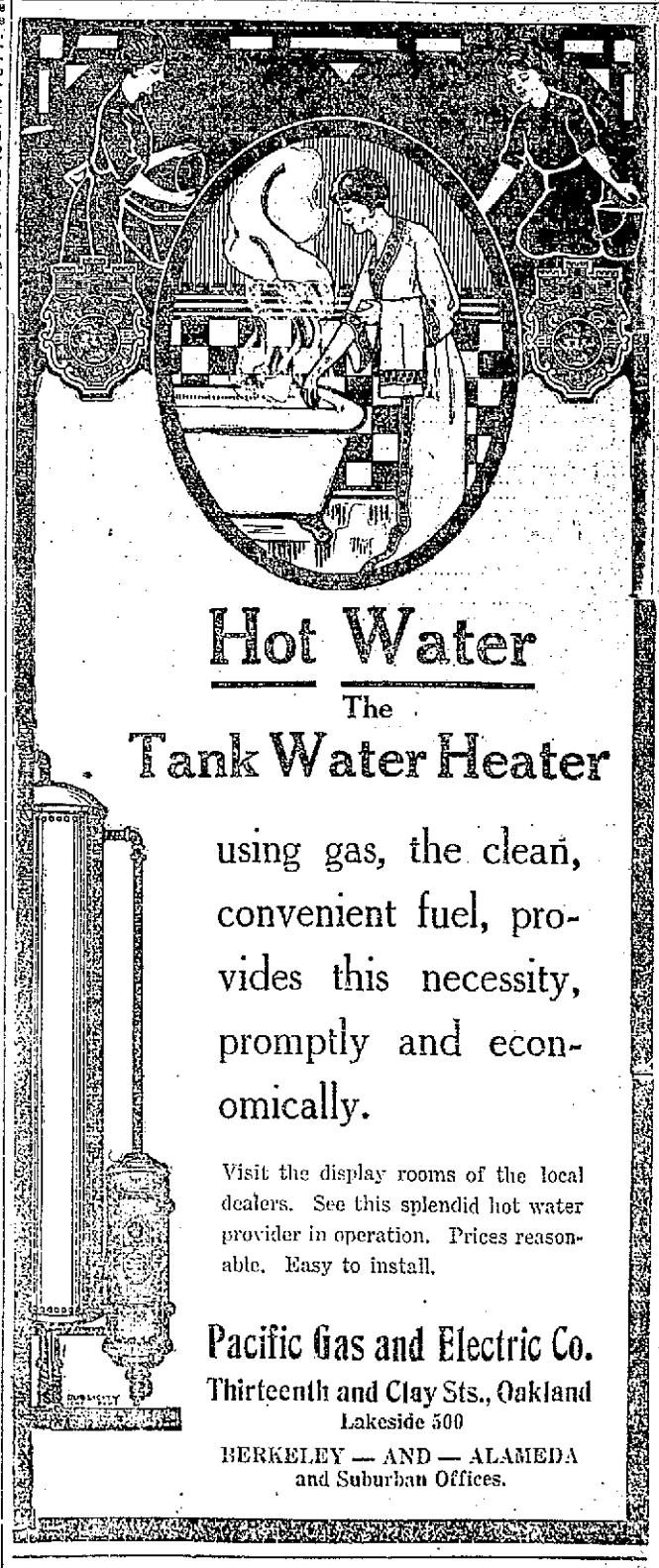

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COINS, stamps, antiques bought and sold. Bon Coin, mfg. jeweler, 1618 Grove st.

Column 2

FRATERNAL DIRECTORY.

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OAKLAND.

LIVE OAK NO. 61 meets Masonic Temple, 12th and Washington sts., Friday, Feb. 18, 1916; third degree; music and refreshments. ("Santa Fe Night.") Lee S. Griswold, W. Master; Wm. J. Garibaldi, Secy.

Scottish Rite Bodies

Cathedral, 15th and Madison sts. Monday, Feb. 21, 25°, 21. G. Elderton.

THE MACCABEES

OAKLAND TENT NO. 17—Temple, 11th and Clay—J. D. Slagle, Com.; J. L. Fine, R. K., 492 9th st.; Oakland 5326. Monday, Feb. 21, 1916, whist and pedro; members only.

Knights of Pythias

OAKLAND LODGE NO. 103—Knight rank this Thurs. evening at 8 o'clock. Pythian Castle, 12th and Alice sts. Visiting brothers welcome. M. C. Vaughn, C. C.; Jas. Denuiston, K. of R. and S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Paramount Lodge No. 17—Meeting every Wed. eve. at 8 o'clock, Pythian Castle, 12th and Alice sts. Visiting brothers welcome. Knight rank long form Feb. 16. A. E. Young, C. C.; Charles B. Hood, K. of R. and S.

MODERN WOODMEN

OAKLAND Camp No. 7236 meets Fri. eve., Feb. 18, "Leap Year party," at 8½ George Hall, 25th and Grove sts. City Com. W. H. Edwards, Venerable Con.; J. F. Bethel, Clerk, room 17 Bacon Block.

L. O. O. M.

OAKLAND LODGE NO. 824, LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE, meets every Friday night at Moose Hall, 12th and Clay sts. W. J. Hamilton, Secy.

F. O. E.

Oakland Aerie No. 7 meets every Monday night at 8 p. m., Lincoln Hall, Thirteenth st., bet. Broadway and Franklin. Visitors welcome.

FRANK BRENEISER, Pres.
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

OAKLAND COUNCIL NO. 734.

Meeting night 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at Knights of Columbus auditorium, 960 13th st. Dr. J. S. Slavich, grand knight; M. D. McGuiness, secretary.

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Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda. A. Bergfeld, Sec., 2320 Myrtle, Oakland; ph. Lakeside 1475. Meets F. of A. Hall, 13th and Clay, Feb. 21.

U. S. W. V.

E. H. LISCUM CAMP NO. 7, U. S. W. V.—Thursday evening, 8 o'clock, Memorial Hall, City Hall bldg. Visiting members cordially invited. Jas. A. Parsons, Com.; John B. Rickman, Adj.

JOS. H. McCOURT CAMP NO. 13, U. S. W. V.—Meets every third Thursday at Native Sons Hall, Shattuck, near Center, Berkeley. F. W. Nitzsche, Commander; A. P. Hanscom, Adjt.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—W. R. C. gold lodge pin, Monday p. m.; owner may have same by identifying and paying for this ad. See cashier, Tribune office.

LOST—On back porch of Apt. 11, Casa Grande Apts., bag containing diamond cuff buttons and diamond ring placed in old umbrella by mistake and evidently considered as discarded by some person; highly valued as family keepsakes; placed in my keeping by lady now almost destitute while she went to hospital; this not a subterfuge; can prove; if person who found will place themselves in my position am sure they will be returned; no questions asked; liberal reward and everlasting thanks. Phone Lake. 763; 2366 Waverly. Mrs. Emma C. Malcolm.

LOST—Tortoise shell angora cat; finder will receive liberal reward if returned. 5316 Market.

LOST—Black female angora cat, white mouth, breast and paws; answers to name of Billie. Phone Fivie 1040.

LOST—Angora cat. Ring up Piedmont 1380; get reward.

LOST—An Apperson reflector, Feb. 15th. Return to Chabot garage; Mer. 5279.

LOST—Purse on Hayward car; contained $5.95 and key. 1916 84th av.; reward.

Photo-Engraving at Tribune Office.

PERSONALS.

ANY GIRL in sorrow and perplexity will find a home and a friend in Rest Cottage, 2107 18th av., Dimond car; it's also a refuge for women and girls who have lost their way and wish to live a better life. Phone Merritt 2186.

ANY GIRL in sorrow, perplexity, needing a friend, adviser, is invited to call or write Miss Tanner, Salvation Army Home, 5205 Harrison av., Oakland. Ph. Fruitvale 554.

AA—Desertion, non-support, cruelty laws explnd.; free legal advice; prop. rights; damages; estates. Legal Aid Society, Room 51, 813 Broadway. Oakland 2755.

A—DOCTORS for men; sores, swellings, discharges; nervous, skin and blood poison our specialty; consultation free. Dr. Hall, 707 Bdwy. (upstairs), nr. 7th.

DISEASES OF MEN—Stricture, bladder, nervous, blood, skin. Dr. Blumenberg, 1895 Sutter, S. F.; 3 to 7 week days.

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MRS. ETHEL TURNER DRAGER was today granted a divorce from C. A. Drager on the grounds of desertion. Drager is thought to be in California.

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SEWING MACHINES.

A SPECIAL price on all machines sold in 10 days; rent, repairs. Singer Sewing Machine Store, 1609 San Pablo. O. 1164.

NEW HOME Sewing Machine Co., all makes, sold, rented and repaired. 635 14th, near Jefferson. Ph. Oak. 1714.

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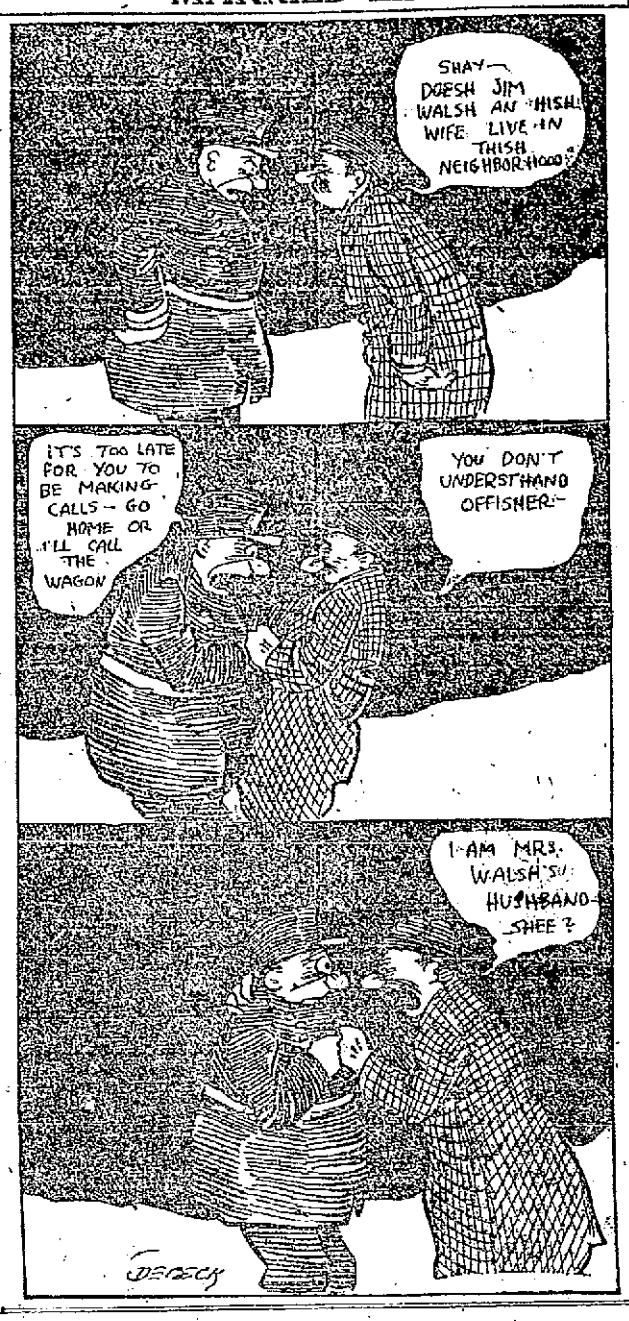
McNALLY sells, rents and repairs all makes. 580 15th st., bet. San Pablo and Clay. Phone Oakland 1774.

Column 3

MARRIED LIFE



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GREGG Shorthand Priv. School; bkkpg.; indv. instr.; rates. 211 13th. Lake. 4171.

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PRIVATE School; children 5 years up; adults; reg. schl. wk; tutors, h. s., grammar grade subjects. 886 34th st.

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MUSICAL.

AA—VIOLIN STUDIO, Max Lercher; instruction voice culture and piano. Mrs. F. O. Lercher, 518 44th st. Pled. 145.

PIANO lessons; pupils visited. L. Getchell, 1211 Jefferson, room 4; ph. Oak. 3193.

RAGTIME taught, 10 to 20 lessons; booklet free. 3764 Telegraph ave.; Pled. 1624.

SAVE $100 by taking J. W. Longfellow's short course in piano technic; teacher also of violin, guitar, mandolin. 562 15th st.; ph. Lakeside 3310.

DANCING.

MISS DAISY WRIGHT'S Dancing school opens Feb. 21st, St. George Hall, 25th and Grove. Mon. 3-5, Thurs. 3-5. Lake 1240.

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Prof. Randall

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HELP WANTED—MALE

AUTO driving taught in new up-to-date cars in busiest part of city; also give certificate and assist you secure position; $10 for complete course. Auto School, 1567 Franklin st.

AAAA—LEARN the barber trade; special rate to next five; wages while learning; tools furnished. National Barber School, 473 9th st.

BOY FOR SUNDAY TRIBUNE ROUTE; Must reside in Piedmont Manor. Apply after 4 p. m. 2nd floor Tribune bldg.

BOY with wheel. Apply drug store, 1341 Market st.

HAVE the world's best metal polish; polish any metal instantly; has no equal; can make $4 a day or money refunded; formula $25; agents wanted. E. V. Stone, 1418 Fivie ave., Oak., Cal.

HELP WANTED—MALE (Continued.)

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YOUNG man about 20, who has had experience in auto supply store. Call after 10 a. m., 2505 Broadway.

SOLICITOR WANTED. 408 14TH ST.

WANTED—Man of experience in organization work as secretary of a business men's organization in Oakland; state qualifications, experience, refs. Box 5190, Tribune.

WANTED—Young man of good appearance who would like to learn salesmanship; good opportunity for the right man. Apply manager Eilers Music Co.

WANTED—Live magazine solicitors; cash prizes given, 3 every week. Call Room 17, 1607 Broadway, 4 to 6 p. m.

WANTED—Painter and paperhanger; rent to pay for work. 1007 E. 24th st.

YOUNG man, about 20, who has had experience in auto supply store. Call after 10 a. m., 2505 Broadway.

YOUNG, handy man; do all-round work and chores about house; $15-$20 month; ref. 211 Blake Block, bet. 2-6 p. m.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

AAA—LADIES, LEARN HAIRDRESSING THE FAMOUS PEAVY SYSTEM; enroll now. CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF HAIRDRESSING, 470 13TH ST., Smith Bros. bldg., Oakland, second floor.

AAAA—LADIES LEARN HAIRDRESSING and MANICURING; positions guaranteed. DENNIS COLLEGE of BEAUTY CULTURE, 908 Market, S. F.

A NEAT white girl to assist with general housework; must be fond of children; wages $15. Phone Piedmont 6969.

AT Success Emp. Agency—Cooks, $40 to $45; housemaids, $35; first-class help of all kinds. 411 15th st.; ph. Oak. 731.

COMPETENT woman for hswk, washing and ironing; no cooking; 8-12 daily. Pled. 6751, after 6 p. m.

COLORED maid; gen. housework; must have first-class refs. 211 Santa Clara ave., Oak.; phone Oakland 6244.

COMPETENT help. Mrs Nelson's Emp. Agency, 1512 Broadway. Oakland 1915.

EXPERIENCED buttonhole machine operator. Kent, 622 Oak st.

GENERAL hswk. girl wanted; active, energetic; good home, good salary; no washing; only exper. need ap. P. 6730.

GIRLS wanted for store and factory. Speele Candy Co., 3324 Adeline st., So. Berkeley, after 6 p. m.

GIRL for mangle work; must be experienced. Nippon Laundry, 2034 Addison, Berkeley.

GOOD GIRL and middle aged, light hswk. good home. 1739 Derby, Berkeley 8217.

HERE IS A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY FOR A BRIGHT YOUNG WOMAN.
There is a scarcity of piano tuners on the Pacific Coast. Thousands of pianos need tuning and repairing. We teach you the tuner's profession in 90 days. TUNERS EARN FROM $30 TO $50 PER WEEK. Let us show you where a small investment will enable you to learn a high-class business. Easy payments. OAKLAND PIANO TUNING SCHOOL, 502 18th st., Oak., and 233 Post st., S. F.

LADIES can make good money decorating novelties at home. 347 Hayes, S. F.

1ST.-CLASS BUSINESS HELP

furnished. PEOPLE'S EMP. OAK. 4405

NEAT, efficient school girl to assist for rm. and bd. $5; small fmly. Mer. 2869.

PRACTICAL HELP will be given any woman or girl of the segregated district whose livelihood is affected by the passage of the red light injunction and abatement law. Apply by phone, Merritt 2050.

Column 5

HELP WANTED—FEMALE (Continued.)

RELIABLE girl, C. S. preferred, assist housework and care of children; $15. Phone Oakland 7535.

UNHAPPY GIRLS will find a woman friend to advise and help them at Rockhurst Center, 130 McAllister st., S. F.; hours 3 to 4 p. m. daily. Phone Market 8250.

WANTED—Reliable young woman for position as telephone operator in San Leandro exchange; must be a resident of San Leandro. Apply to San Leandro chief operator, 133 Estudillo av., bet. hrs. 8 and 10 a. m.

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WANTED—A capable woman of middle age who thoroughly understands running a cafeteria; a permanent position to the right party. Address Box 5105 Tribune.

WANTED—6 women to solicit advertising for prohibition weekly; good commission; exclusive territory. Apply 9 a. m., 2236 Telegraph, Berkeley.

WANTED—Young girl for hswk.; family of 2; $20. 6605 Dana, cor. 66th, one blk. E. of Telegraph; call 7 to 8 p. m.

WOMAN'S Emp. Exch., 1512 Bdway.; ph. Oak. 3359—Girls, gen. work, cooks, waitresses, second and young girls.

WANTED—A girl for general housework and cooking. Pled. 5230J; call after 6 p. m.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; references. Phone Pled. 4880W.

WOMAN for general hswk; country town, 1 in family. Ph. Pled. 3192.

WANTED—A neat middle-aged woman for light housework. Apply 818 18th st.

SALESMEN-SOLICITORS

AGENTS wanted; good proposition. 904 Broadway, 9-5.

EXPER. solicitors (men or women) for coffee business; good commission assured. 1544 Broadway.

FIVE good solicitors, liberal commission. 8080 E. 14th, Elmhurst Rug Works.

SELL heatless trouser press, Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, Richmond; large field, big money. Call 10-5, 946 44th st.

SOLICITORS wanted; magazine work; pay every sale; no delays. Call room 26, 1007 Broadway, after 4 p. m.

SOLICITORS wanted; laundry work; good pay. 717 7th st.

JAPANESE AND CHINESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES

Jap-Chinese Emp. Oak, 5522

AND HOUSE-CLEANING, 500 ALICE ST

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

ALL persons wishing reliable help in exchange for board and room, can be placed in communication with trustworthy young men of good character by phoning H. C. Ingram, Supt. Polytechnic College of Engineering. Lakeside 2600.

ANYTHING—I am 20 years old, single, healthy and decent; am willing to work at anything which affords an honest living; please give me a trial. Box 5149, Tribune.

ANYTHING — Handy and reliable man wants inside or outside work. Rhode Island Yds., 2105 46th ave. Phone Fruitvale 1606W.

ANYTHING—Young man, 21, wants position, day or night. Berk. 5020.

BLACKSMITH—First-class light blacksmith; good bench hand; exp. in sheet iron and soldering; wants work in auto gen. repair shop for very reasonable wages. Address G. A. C., 1111 Alice st., Oakland; Oakland 4617.

CHINESE, good at pastry, entree, meat or other things, desires situation in family where second help is kept. Apply G. Ong, 321 8th st.

COOK—Japanese, good cook, wants position in family; can give good refs.; former place work six years. Phone Berkeley 2894. George E. K.

CLERK—Grocery clerk wants position; age 30; experienced; Oakland reference. Box 5178, Trib.

CARPENTER and finisher, good all-round, wishes position; $3 per day. Box 5303 Tribune.

COOK—Chinese, first-class, wants position in nice family, city or country. Ah Louie, 630 Webster. Ph. Pekin 115.

COOK—Chinese, first class, wishes position in private family or boarding house. 264 8th st. Lake 3790.

COOK—Japanese man and wife want position as cook; wife wait on table and do housework; best refs. Ala. 473.

COOK—Chinese, wants position as cook in private family; first class in every particular. 640 Webster. Lake. 1066.

CARPENTER and finisher, good all-round, wishes position; $3 day. Box 5303, Tribune.

DAY work, man with family, can do carpentry or any kind, sober and industrious. Box 15575 Tribune.

DAY WK.—Japanese day worker; washing, ironing, general house cleaning. Phone Pled. 593.

DAY worker; Japanese wants housecleaning or anything to do. Ishii, phone Oakland 6626.

DAY WORK—Japanese boy wants work, or by week; exp. cook, laundry, pressing, garden. Oakland 6625.

GEN. housework and gardening wanted by Japanese couple; exp. in city or country. Pled. 4606; Grove st., 5346.

BLACKSMITH—First-class light blacksmith; good bench hand; exp. in sheet iron and soldering; wants work in auto gen. repair shop for very reasonable wages. Address G. A. C., 1111 Alice st., Oakland.

HOUSE-CLEANING—Jap., honest boy, wants work; laundry and house-cleaning; by day or steady. Tom Walanate, 725 West st., Oak.; ph. Oakland 3716.

HOUSEWORK — Experienced Japanese boy wants position in family as general domestic worker. Frank; phone Oak. 8207; 474 23d st.

HOUSEWORK—Young Japanese student wishes position as school boy in nice family; has experience. Lake 4120. 619 Clay st.

HSWRK—Japanese schoolboy wants position in a small family. Phone Pled. 593.

HOUSEWORK—A Chinese boy as a school boy, wants a position in family. Billy Yee, 619 Harrison st., Oakland.

HOUSEWORK — Japanese school boy wants position in private family. Phone Oakland 7715, afternoons.

HOUSEWORK wanted by Japanese schoolboy in private family. Oakland 1298.

HOUSEWORK—Japanese boy wants to do housework or washing by day. Phone Lakeside 4797.

HANDY man; young, practical handy man wants work at anything; small wages to start. Phone Lakeside 1380.

HOUSECLEANING or anything, wanted by young man, not afraid of work. Pled. 5742W.

HOUSEWORK — Schoolboy wants position in private family. Kay K. Sonada, Phone Lake 3213.

LAUNDRY—Japanese, first-class laundry boy wishes a position in private house with general housework. Ph. Oak. 4641.

LINGUIST—Young man (23), speaks English, Spanish, Croatian, Italian, desires work of any kind. Box 5144, Trib.

POULTRYMAN—Wanted by experienced poultry man to work on shares or salary. Box 5504, Tribune.

PORTER — Good Chinaman, Lee Joe, wants job as porter in apt. house. Chinese Society, 207 Harrison st.

PAINTING, paperhanging, tinting; first-class work at lowest prices. Fruit. 1231.

SPADE up your garden, general handy man; house cleaning, $2.10 per day. Merritt 147, 6 to 9 evenings.

Column 6

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE (Continued.)

PAINTING and paperhanging done neatly and cheap, by day. Merritt 8824-515 E. 11th st. R. J. York.

SCHOOL BOY—Filipino wants a position as school boy in a small family. Box 5200, Tribune.

UPHOLSTERING work for room rent; am lame; good workman. A. Douglas, 1416 13th av.

GARDENING.

PLOWING, gardening, expert fruit and shade tree pruning; all kinds of work done. J. P. Sarmento & Son, E. 14th st., San Leandro, Cal.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

ADJUSTOR—Expert housekeeping, nursing or care of children; hour, day or week; C. S. student. Ph. Oak. 6752.

ASSISTANT in cooking and gen. hswk, colored girl wants position; wages $25. Phone Pled. 5583J.

ASSISTING; cafeteria, cafe, delicatessen; cooking or serving. Ph. Oak. 4405.

BUNDLE washing—I will do dressmaker's bundle washing in exchange for dressmaking and sewing. Box 15303, Trib.

COOKING, housework or any kind of employment by day urgently needed by strong and capable widow; good cook and laundress; refs given. Phone Pled. 2173J.

COOKS and housemaids; Norwegian girl, $35; 2 Norwegian girls, $30; 2 Finn girls, $35; 8 Swedish girls, $25; 2 Americans, $20. Mrs. Brown, 1455 Franklin. Oakland 5288.

COMPANION—Young lady wishes position as companion for elderly woman or will take in sewing, plain work or embroidering. 3519 Custer st., Oakland.

COOKING or general housework by competent Swedish girl; good cook. Phone Oakland 8073, from 6 to 9 p. m.

COOK—Man and wife wish position in city or country; wife expert cook; husband carpenter. 1920 10th st., W. Berk.

CARE OF CHILDREN—Will take care of children by day or hour, evenings. Phone Lakeside 2487.

COOKING, housework; day or half day; work of any kind, or a few hours' work daily. Phone Oakland 2123.

COOKING wanted by colored woman in private family. Phone Oak. 8232; refs.

COOKING or gen. hswk.; German woman; good cook; refs.; $30-$35. Oak. 737.

COOK—Boarding house, delicatessen; thoroughly experienced; ref. O. 4405.

COOK—1st class, has cooked in the best families; excel. ref.; $35 to $40. O. 4405.

DAY WORK—Woman wants work for Friday and Saturday, washing or cleaning; $1.50 day. Mrs. B. S., 1086 14th st.; Lakeside 3254.

DRESSMAKER—Young lady would like plain dressmaking, children's clothes, or position with dressmaker; reasonable. Phone Oak. 8611.

DAY WORK—Reliable woman wishes laundry or cleaning by the day. Ph. Pled. 5184.

DAY work of any kind for Tuesdays and Thursdays by experienced and competent young woman. Phone Pled. 6817J.

DRESSMAKER with exp. and ref. wants engagements; coats, suits, evening dresses, remodeling; $2.10. Pled. 1275J.

DRESSMAKER wishes few more engagements by day or will take work home. Phone Oakland 7112.

DAY WORK—Young lady wishes day work; 25c per hour and car fare. Phone Oakland 8099.

DAY WORK — Japanese woman wants work; washing, ironing, cooking, housework. Phone Oakland 3910, evening.

DRESSMAKING MRS. HAUN, 5315 Boyd av. Pled. 7989.

DAY work—Lady wishes position by day. Phone Oak. 9305.

DAY WORK wanted. Call Oakland 8099.

GOVERNESS—Normal School graduate, having university training, wishes to tutor in grammar and high school subjects, or will accept position as governess or companion in private family; best refs. Phone Berkeley 6596.

GEN. office work, young woman with experience in grocery bookkeeping and typewriting wishes position. Fruitvale 1626-W.

GEN. housework and plain cooking wanted by capable girl; best ref.; $25 mo. Ph. Piedmont 8749-J.

HOUSEWORK & care of child; wanted, position as assistant in housework & care of child; $10 per mo.; to be treated as one of family. Box 15505 Trib.

HOUSEWORK—Two German girls, exp. housework; strong young girls; want positions; $25 and $15. 2742 Mabel, W. Berkeley.

HOUSEKEEPER, competent, reliable woman wants place family adults; $30. Oakland 5288.

HOUSEWORK and laundress wanted by good, strong woman, work by the day. Merritt 4275.

HOUSEWORK — Home nights; capable woman; good worker wants work; cooks well. Oakland 737.

HOUSEWORK—A young girl, 18, wishes position as housework and care of children; washing if required. Oak. 1217.

HOUSEWORK—Girl, No. 1 cook, clean, neat, best ref.; $30 to $35. Lake. 2739.

HOUSEWORK and plain cooking; young woman, excellent worker. O. 4455; ref.

HSKPG.—Refined lady would like position as housekeeper. Box 5158, Trib.

HOUSEKEEPER—Position wanted by young woman able to manage. Ok. 2819.

HOUSEWORK — Colored woman, gen. hswk. or day; sleep home. Oak. 8809.

JANITRESS—Capable woman wishes position; apartment house; state rooms and salary. Address Brabender, Y. W. C. A., 1944 Franklin st., Oakland.

LAUNDRESS—LACE CURTAINS, 25c pair, called for and delivered; work guaranteed. 903 Market, phone Ok. 5737.

LAUNDRESS—Lace curtains done up carefully; 25c pair and up; called for and delivered. Merritt 5245.

LAUNDRESS wants washing, ironing, assist house cleaning; care children evenings. Phone Lakeside 3429.

NURSE—Lady of good reference, an expert with feeble-minded people, would like position as nurse for any kind of nursing, also maternity cases; strictly confidential. 2898 Howard st., S. F. Mrs. Baprah.

PLAIN cooking and gen. hswk. by good Japanese girl. Lakeside 1253.

Column 7

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE. (Continued.)

NURSE or good cook and housekeeper wants invalid or small family adults; $40. Mrs. Brown, 1455 Franklin. Oak. 5288.

NURSE, cheerful, would like to accompany invalid or elderly person to Kansas City for exp. Box 15545, Trib.

NURSE will care for children a few hours each day in exchange for room, close in. Box 15514, Trib.

NURSE—An experienced practical nurse wants position; infants a specialty; wages $40. Phone Fruitvale 1699-J.

NURSE—Infants' nurse desires employment afternoon and evenings. Ph. Lake. 1615, Y. W. C. A.

NURSE, child's, wishes position in first-class family; experience and good refs. Phone Lakeside 3261.

NURSE, CHILD'S—Middle-aged lady will care for children day or of evenings; good plain sewer. Box 5187, Trib.

NURSE—Practical, convalescent, chronic or nervous cases. Phone Oakland 8099.

OAKLAND EMPLOYMENT AGENCY supplies competent help promptly. Mrs. T. H. Brown, 1455 Franklin. Oak 5288.

STENOGRAPHER, BEGINNER, DESIRES POSITION. OAK. 8774.

TRAINED nurse of Chicago, 10 yrs. exp., takes calls $1.25 day or permanent case for less. Oak. 4227.

WASHING — Reliable Swedish woman wishes washing, ironing or cleaning by the day. Phone Lakeside 2581.

WASHING—A capable woman would like washing and ironing by the day; best refs. Phone Merritt 6341.

WASHING and cleaning, 1st class woman; best ref; $25 hour. O. 4405.

HEMSTITCHING AND PLEATING.

BUTTONS, button-holes, picot edging. Steele's, 222 Ellis st.; Franklin 4521. Branch office, 85 Grant av.; Douglas 4515, S. F.

HEMSTITCHING done at the Singer Shop, 513 13th st.

ROOFING

H. J. EDWARDS, shingler; estimates furn.; 25 yr. practice in Oak.; employers' liab. carried. 1211 Poplar; Oak. 7246.

DRESSMAKING

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker and tailor; latest styles; from city; prices reas.; 3 wks. good refs.; will go out by day. Ph. Lakeside 921.

DAY AND CONTRACT WORK

CARPENTER work; contract or day; do my own work; reas. Pled. 1020.

CARPENTER, $3 day, or job; estimates free; hdwd. floors special. Oak. 9454.

HAVE J. H. SMALL do your painting, tinting, papering. 3824 Piedmont av. Pled. 6141J.

PLOUGHING—Teaming, day or contract, reas. 1450 46th av. coal yard. Fvl. 1737.

REDWOOD CARPENTER SHOP. A. L. Davis; 2626 Union st. Oak. 8375.

TINTING, $1.50 per room and up; papering, $2.25 per room and up, and furnish paper, painting. Ph. Oak. 7067.

TINTING, papering, painting, carpenter work and jobbing; reasonable. Elm. 214.

UPHOLSTERERS

AT R. J. HUNTER'S—2156 Tel. av., Oak. 3735; fine upholstering, furniture rep

Column 8

APARTMENTS TO LET

A-- Palace Apts.
ELEGANT, ROOMY, QUIET HOMES
HAS NOW TO OFFER
One 8-room unfurnished apartment.
One 4-room unfurnished apartment.
One 2-room furnished apartment.
These apartments can now be shown; prices reasonable. The Palace caters only to the best people and offers every modern convenience for housekeeping. References required. 1580 Alice st. Phone Lakeside 3384. One block Hotel Oakland.

AAAA—REDUCED RATES AT KEY ROUTE INN, on Broadway, at 22d. A REFINED FAMILY HOTEL; all elec. trains every 10 min. to S. F. at our door; excellent meals, perfect cleanliness, protected playgrounds, gardens, tennis, dinner dances. COSTS LESS THAN KEEPING HOUSE. Room with meals for one, $50; for two, $90. Parlor suite, private bath, meals, for two, $110. Ph. Oak. 8914.

A=-O'Connell Apts. 2, 3, 4 rooms, furn. and unfurnished. 41st and Montgomery. (Brand new). End of K. R. Pied. Line, near Tech. High.

House of Service

A—"EL NIDO" Apartments
Strictly modern and first class in every particular; near Lake Merritt; 2, 3, 4 rooms, sleeping porches; free phones, elevator, steam heat, free tennis court, etc. 1580 Madison st. Phone Lakeside 199.

A NEW INDUCEMENT RATE
Choicest 2, 3, 4-room apts., fur., unfur., $25, $35 up. Frederick Apts., the house of class, comfort, distinction. 41st near Telegraph av., Phone Piedmont 2602.

At Casa Rosa Beautifully furnished 3-room apts.; 2 disappearing beds. 1421 Market st., opp. 16th. Oakland 4164.

ARCO APARTMENTS
Madison and 14th—2 and 3-room completely furn.; high grade service; near S. P. cars. Phone Oakland 6351.

AA—WINDSOR APTS. New 3-rm apt.; st. heat; hot water; 4 blks to K. R. and center of town; unfurn., $27.50; furn., $30. 1517 Brush; phone Oak. 6727.

AA—MARYLAND APTS.
Completely furn. modern apts., steam heat, hot water, free phones; most rens rates in city. Cor. 33rd and Telegraph av.

A—VALLEY APTS. 1 block from K. R. Inn, 2341 Valley st. 2 and 3 rooms, furn.; bath, steam heat, hot water; rent reasonable. Lakeside 1451.

A—"TOWNSEND" Unfurn.; 3 rms.; unusually large; brand new brick building; perfect service. Oak st., at 11th.

AA—LAKE MERRITT APTS.
3-room furn.; steam heat, bath, free phone; $20 up. 1205 1st av.

AA—"SEVERN" SUNNY 2-3-ROOM apts., $20, $25. 2216 Telegraph av. Pied. 1298-J.

A—GRANADA 2, 3 rooms, steam ht., sleep. porches, garage; all rooms sunny. 1514 Alice. Oak. 2217

ALHAMBRA Newly furn. 2 & 3-room apts.; new management; reas. rates. 160 9th st., near Madison.

A—RAYMOND 2, 3, 4 rms., $35-$65; finely furn.; large lobby, billiard and ballroom. 1461 Alice.

A—Imperial Apts. 2 and 3 rooms; new; up-to-date; every conv.; $25-$40. Harrison—

ANNABELL APTS. 686 24th st., nr. Grove, 2 and 3-rm. apts.; furn.; steam heat, hot water, private phones; 2 blocks from Key Route.

AAA—Fairmount 201 Orange st.; five min. walk to S. P. and K. R. Oakland $137. $25 up.

A FINE 3-room apt., near Pied. av. and K. R. stn. 25 Yosemite st.; water free; $21 month.

Auditorium Furn., unfurn.; priv. ent.; steam heat. 1035 Fallon.

AA—11TH ST., 822—3 rooms for hskpg; priv. bath; nr. railroad. Ph. Oak. 7865.

BUENA VISTA, 1817 BRUSH
Sunny front 3 rms., bath, kitchen; elegantly furn.; central. Phone Oak. 8124.

BERTHA APTS.—3-rm. nicely fur.; sep. bath and entrance; sunny; $4 per wk. 899 24th st.

BERKELEY "Berkshire," 2, 3 4 rms., mod. Tel. & Ban. B. 8428.

BERKELEY Finely furn 3-room mod. apt., $25. Lakeside 660.

"COMO" APTS.
1450 ALICE.
½ BLOCK FROM OAKLAND HOTEL
READY FEB. 1ST. PHONE LAKE. 218.
Make your selections now. The finest family apt. house in Oakland.
STRICTLY PRIVATE. All very latest improvements. In most select district.

CASA MADERA 16th st., bet. Grove and Castro; central; sunny; prices right; steam heat; hot water; phones; janitor service.

COLONADE 1, 2, 3 rms., $10, $18, $25; comp. furn., wall beds, bath, elec., ph. free. 560 33d. Pied. 318.

CASTRO REDUCED RATES; 2-3-rm.; close in. 1411 Castro st.

CENTRAL 2, 3, 4 rms.; new; $20; bdw. floors. 483 40th st.

DEL REY 2, 3 rms., stm. ht., h. wat., new manag't. 1543 Harrison

ELEGANT furn. apts.; large sunny rms.; high class; hot water, steam heat; private baths; slp. pchs.; large grounds; 2 and 3 rms., $20 up. 542 25th st.; temporary entrance, 553 26th or Sycamore; Oak. 217.

ENCINAL Brand new. Phone Oak. 7387. only two-room apts. left. CORNER 10TH AND MADISON STS.

EL CENTRO 23d and San Pablo—2, 3, 4 rooms, $18 to $40; every convenience. Oak. 2619. B. A. Jones

EL DORIS, 4 rm. unfurnished sunny apt., 16th, cor. Linden; Pied. 2257.

Highland Apts. 275 Park View Terrace; unfurn.; sleep. pchs.; garage; adults; ref. Oak. 4694.

H. P. NEW mod. rooms and apts., $2 week up. 641 22d st. Oak. 7859.

HOBART. Apt. 1—2, 3-rm. apt.; reas.; near all cars. 454 Hobart st.; Oak. 6151.

IN UPPER PIEDMONT
Ronado Court; 4-room apts., furn. and unfurn. 155 Ronado av. Piedmont 5304.

Laconia
Best location and value; mod. apts.; lobby, billiard, card, ball, banquet rooms; slp. pchs. 1520 Harrison. Ph. Oak. 5866.

LAKESIDE LARGE, handsomely furn. 1, 2, 3-rm. apts.; sleeping porches. 159 Lake st. Lakeside 1163.

LIBERTY 2-3-4-5 ROOMS; just finished. 71 10th st. Reas.

MADISON PARK 9th and Oak sts.; Phone Oak. 3160. Oakland's estab. home of comfort; hotel serv.; close locals; walk. d's. bus. center.

MARIPOSA 123 Lake st. near Oak.; mod.; prices gdly. reduced.

NOTTINGHAM 2-3-rm. apts.; steam heat and hot water; phones, ballrm., nr. 49th K.R. 466 41st st.

Orefred Apts. 831 16th st.—All outside, sunny 3-room apts.; steam heat; $22.50 mo. and up.

OAK PARK 2 rooms, furn., $18; private bath, phone. 92 8th.

Park Terrace Apts. 240 Grand av., facing Lakeside Park—Just opened; artistic, 2-3-4-r. apts., furn and unfurn.; hdwd. floors, linoleum, stove, stm. heat, ht. water, elevator; very reasonable.

PERKINS Swell 4-rm. apt., furn. or unfurn. 437 Perkins t. 2022.

Rex New; opp. Auditorium, 10th-Fallon sts.; furn.; 2 rooms; phones; rens. Phone Lakeside 4232.

SANFORD APTS.—Furn. sunny 4-rm. apt.; close in; $25. 170 10th st.

Column 9

APARTMENTS TO LET—Continued

SOMETHING ENTIRELY NEW
Classy, refined, sunny, lake park, scenery., walk. dist., S. F. trains. 807 21st.

ST. SELMO Just completed; 3-room furn. apts.; stm. heat; hot water; rent reas. 534 16th st. L. 4739.

SHERWOOD APTS. 2-3 rms. fur.; stm. ht.; ph.; walking dist.; most desirable. 601 25th st.

SUNNY furn. 4-rm. apt.; view; Victrola; near Lake Merritt; $14. Pied. 3630.

TWO sunny rooms, unfurn.; hot water; gas stove; yard. Phone Pied. 2752.

UNFURN APTS., 2, 3, 4 rooms, $18 up; steam heat; h. w. i close in. 807 Jackson.

WALDO APTS.—3 AND 4-ROOM; FURN. HEAT; PHONE. 800 14TH ST.

3-RM. apt.; private bath, lavatory; separate entrance; nicely furnished. Ph. Merritt 1898.

1805 TELEGRAPH—2 and 3-room furn. and unfurnished apartments; reasonable; central location.

7th Av. Apt. 646 E. 14th, 2 blks. from K. R.; $15 to $25.

11TH ST., 567, near Clay; Lakeside 4892—Beautifully furnished mod. apts., $15 up.

$18—APT. 3 rms. in Fruitvale. Phone for particulars, Fruit. 1604.

3 TO 8-rm. apts.; gas, electricity; everything furn.; $11 mo. up. 471 Hobart st.

4 COMF. sunny cor apts. 675 11th st.; 10 min. to Bdwy. Porter, 1421 Bdwy.

BERKELEY

Oxford Apts. 2-3-4-rm. furn. apts. mod. Oxford-Allston. Berkeley 2355W.

HOTELS.

Athens Hotel 1556 Broadway. Room, $3 wk. up; with bath, $5 week up.

Hotel Majestic 415 15th, newly ren. rms. $3 wk. up; tran.

TOURAINE 16th, at Clay st.; Louis Aber, Mgr.—Rooms $4 a week; with bath $6.

ROOMS TO LET—FURNISHED

ALICE, 1529—Desirable rooms, well furn.; down town dis.; g. negbrhd.; hskg. pref.

CASTRO, 1085—2 hskpg. rms., $4 week; also single room, $2 to $3 week.

COMFORTABLE rooms, every conv.; pri. home; $10; brd. op. Box 15880, Tribune.

FURN rm. and kitchenette practically free in exch. for care of hall and stairs; refs. Oak. 5787; no children.

FOREST ST., 493—Attrac. front room; priv. bath; reas. Ph. Pied. 2392.

HOBART, 544—$1.50 and $3.00 per week, new sunny; also light housekeeping, for lady; nr. Y. M. C. A. Oak. 8626.

LINDEN ST., 2520—Room, use of parlor, kitchen, bath; man and wife or lady employed; nr. K. R. sta., Hollis cars; ref.

MADISON, 1565—Large sunny front room; gas, elec., water; fine place. Oak. 7538.

NEWTON AV., 853—Furnished room, home comforts; private family; near Lake Merritt; piano and parlor; good car service; walking distance city hall. Phone Merritt 2492.

SYCAMORE ST., 628.—Sunny front room with alcove, suitable for 2 persons, with private bath, running water; $12.

TAYLOR TERRACE, 2333, near 23d and San Pablo—Sunny front rooms, priv. family; near K. R. Oak. 2006.

TELEGRAPH AV., 2228—Fine rms., $2.50 $3.00 wk.; H. water; ph., bath, elec. lights.

11TH ST., 741, APT. 5—Light sunny rm., furn., 5 minutes' walk 12th and Broadway, with young married couple; lady only; rent reasonable.

16TH ST., 584—Modern, sunny rooms; heat and hot water; especial rates to gentlemen.

8TH ST., 957—Single and con. rooms; suitable for 2 or 3 gentlemen; modern; $5 up.

8TH ST., 542—Sunny, clean, neat and quiet rooms; $1.25 up. Lake 4932.

18TH ST., 722—Rm.; short walk; running water, elec., ph., bath; priv. home;

55TH ST., 729—In private home, 4-room furn. apt. near Grove st. Key Route stn.

41ST ST., 434—Furn. rooms to let, $10; new house, new furniture.

ROOMS TO LET—UNFURNISHED

JEFFERSON, 1519—Very desirable sunny front suit for housekeeping; near 16th.

27TH, 543—2 large, unfurn. rooms with bath. Phone Oakland 4386.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

ADELINE ST., 840.—Large sunny room, kitchenette; also single rooms; $5 per mo. up.

C. S.—Large front sunny, four large windows; gas, bath, elec., 3 blks. Pied. Key station; rent $10; to adults only. Phone Piedmont 210-W.

E. 14TH ST., 334—2-3 room modern suites nicely furn., unfurnished if desired; convenient all cars; very reasonable.

FRANKLIN 2021—1 housekeeping room and kitchenette; every convenience; close in; 5 minutes to town.

FRANKLIN ST., 1756, RIGHT IN TOWN, artistically furn.; refined neighborhood; $3 to $8.50 week; very nice.

FRANKLIN st., 1508—2-room apt. and single housekeeping rooms; neat; cen't

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HOBART, 572.—Cozy sunny hskpg suite, $15; also front sleeping room, $5.

MERRIMAC ST., 530, near Telegraph.—Two furnished sunny rooms and two single rooms, central location; no children.

MARKET ST., 931, near 10th—3 very nicely furn., sunny front, housekeeping rooms; gas range, sink, bath, phone; $16.

MYRTLE, 1483—Large, sunny hkpg. room with kitchenette, fine for 2 working girls; bath, elec. and phone.

SAN PABLO, 2413—A sunny bachelor apt. gas, light; $12; near K. R.

WOOLSEY, 3225—Most of mod. home., furn. or unfurn; $12; good neighborhood. Berk. 6511J.

TELEGRAPH, 5632, Near Idora Park—Furn. sunny 2-r. hkpg. apts., $10-$12.

TELEGRAPH AVE., 2936—2 hskpg. rms., running water, $10. Oak. 5584.

14TH ST., 617-19—Will rent to good lady tenant 2 furn. flats of 18 rooms, suitable for sub-renting; very desirable; rent reasonable.

$15—BACHELOR apt., modern; for 1 or 2 gentlemen; everything included; walk. dist. town; nr. lake. Phone evenings bet. 7-8, Merritt 1384.

8TH AV., 3142—Pleasant front room and kitchenette; mod.; car line; $15. Merritt 3019.

33RD ST., 560, bet. Grove and Tel.—Sunny 2-rm. apt., comp. furn.; wall bed, bath, elec., ph., free; $17. Tel. Pied. 316.

11TH ST., 226—4 blks. east of Bdwy.; $5 for man; 1-room cottage; furnished complete for cooking.

12TH ST., 805, cor. West st.—Large sunny front room; large closet, gas grate, phone.

12TH ST., 793—Nice, clean furn. 2-room suite for hskpg.; $3 wk.; also slp. pch., for boy, 75c.

20TH ST., 521, at Telegraph—Two large sunny rooms, running water, gas range, electricity, free phone; $16 per mo.

9TH ST., 796—Sunny front bay window hskpg. rms., $3, everything furn.; also rm. downstairs.

3309 E. 8th st.—2 hskpg. rms., fresh'd, light, water; $8 mo.

2D AV., 1135—2 sunny hskpg., nice home, walk. dist.; rens.; adults. Merritt 315.

24TH ST., 552—1 or 2 large light sunny furn. rm. for hskpg. Lake 3182.

18TH ST., 593—Housekeeping rooms; running water, gas, phone; $10.

14TH ST., 610—A sunny front suite, $18 month; near City Hall.

4TH ST., 520, for good and reas. hkpg. and single rooms; refined people.

22D ST., 522—Furn. hkpg. rms.; free phone and gas, $2 week and up.

28TH ST., 260—2 or 3 large, modern rooms; sunny; close in; ph., bath; reas.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS (Continued.)

1627H ST., 1065—Front sunny room for light housekeeping; to lady; $3 per mo.

15TH ST., 619—2-rm. cottage and 2-rm. apt. and kitchen; children allowed.

12TH ST., 577—Sunny housekeeping rooms, $1.50 and up; phone and gas.

22ND ST., 525—Furn. hkpg. rooms, near Teleg., on K. R. Phone Oak. 7027.

FAMILY HOTELS.

AA—LE VERNE Sunny rooms with board; also rooms with slp. pchs. 1469 Harrison; ½ blk from Hotel Oakland.

A—THE HARMONIA—Ideal home for business men and women; comfort, excel. table; reas. 11th-Madison; Oak 7649.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ALCATRAZ AV. 1038—Wanted, two young men for boarding; big sunny front room; 3 large windows; sunshine entire day; board and room together; rates reasonable; near 2 car lines.

ALL family hotels and boarding houses are in the "Family Hotel" column.

ALICE ST., 1817—Desirable sim.-heated rms. excel. bd.; cultured people. O. 1627.

FILBERT ST., 628—Any homeless girl seeking employment will be welcome to stay at the Co-operative until she gets employment.

FRANKLIN ST., 1960—Have room and board for young man.

GENOA ST., 6819, bet. 55th and 59th sts., near Grove st.—Large room with breakfast, $13; Key Route trains stop within half a block. Phone Piedmont 2119.

GARFIELD AVE., 8286, Alameda—Room with bd.; bungalow; Lincoln Park station; garage.

IN A modern home, room, sunny, water, sleeping porch, board for two employed; car at door. Merritt 2169.

LUSK ST., 4029—Fur. room and breakfast, $12.50; board if desired; 40th and Grove K. R. trains.

LINDEN ST., 922—Rm., bd.; home cooking; heat; 1 or 2; $20 mo. Oak. 1483.

MARRIED couple having beautiful home in Claremont will board gentlemen with references. 5771 Broadway, Oak.

PIEDMONT 4408-W—Two middle-aged or elderly people to board; beautiful new bungalow; Claremont district.

WANTED—School teacher to room and board in exchange for lessons evenings. Pied. 1469-J.

18TH ST., 762—We are confident of our ability because we have knowledge and experience derived from former successful, homey homes for you who board. Phone Lakeside 4991.

16TH ST., 185—Why pay $20 for rm. when you can rm. and board with 3 meals for $357 Priv. bath and 3 meals $40; 2 persons in room, $30 each.

20TH ST., 301—Room and board; all conveniences; reasonable.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

REFINED couple want room and board in bungalow where no other boarders; modern, attractive and close in. Pied. 3417-J, or Box 15677, Tribune.

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AA—BOARD for children; mother's care; best physicians' refs. 430 E. 16th st.

CHILDREN boarded at the Home of Love. Phone Oakland 7147.

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REAS. board for girl bet. 6 and 19 yrs., nr. schools. Box 5269 Tribune.

WILL care for infant or child; best of references. 8103 Deakin st., Berkeley.

FLATS TO LET—UNFURNISHED

LOWER modern sunny flat, Oak. av.; 4 rooms; hdwd. floors, etc. Oak. 2303.

LOWER 6-rm. flat; high basement; $18. Key at 840 20th st. Oak. 1459.

MODERN sunny five-room flat with garage; near Telegraph ave. and Key Route; $18 per month; 1 month's rent free to a desirable tenant. Apply F. F. Porter.

MOD. flat, four rooms, hdwd. flrs.; nr. K. R.; rent $20; adults. 1744 5th ave.

MODERN sunny lower flat, 6 rooms at 907 Alice; rent $35. Ph. Oak. 3915.

SUNNY upper flat of six rooms, 1018 Filbert; rent $22.50; first-class condition. Apply F. F. Porter.

SUNNY modern; $18 and $20. 1105 and 1107 14th st., near Chestnut.

SUNNY modern 5-room flat; rent $20. 853 32d st.

SUNNY 3-room flat, bath, $12.50; bet. Grove and San Pablo. 682 25th st.

SUNNY corner, modern, upper flat 7 rms.; back yard; $20, water free. 2069 23d av.

UPPER sunny flat, 5 rooms; bath, laundry, yard; near business center. 723 17th st.

$18—A LOWER flat of 4 small rooms; partly furn.; use of phone. 226 11th st.

5 SUNNY rooms, modern, bath, etc., $16. 808 7th ave.

FLATS TO LET—FURNISHED

A sunny cor. 5-rms.; well fur.; reas; cars, locals, strs 1 blk. 1834 Myrtle. O. 6113.

A 3-ROOM furn. modern apt. flat; near Key Route, 707 43rd st.

CHOICE mod. flat, 6 rms. and bath, well furn., first class; close to bus. center and S. F. trains; Telegraph av. Oak. 6030.

CHEAP RENT, close in; modern 2 and 3 rooms; newly renovated. Apply 715 Oak st.

EXCELLENT condition lower flat, 5 rms. 1112 Myrtle st. Oakland 4905.

FURN. or unfurn. flat 5 rooms; hardwood floors, slpg. porch; piano; $45 or $40. 23 Monte Vista av.; Pied. K. R. ½ block.

FLAT, 4 sunny rooms, completely furnished, gas range, cookstove; cheap. Call at 665 6th.

FURNISHED flat, 6 rooms and bath, $25. 557 Jones st.

FURN. 3-rm. apt. flat; water free; $20. 673 31st. off Grove. Pied. 4909.

FURNISHED upper flat, 4 rooms, bath, gas, electricity. Phone Oak. 7974.

FOUR sunny rms., flat, nr. K. R., walking dist. Key 2110 Linden; $18.

FURN flats, greatly reduced rents; garage if needed. Apply 764 56th st.

FURN. 3-rm. flat; water, elec. free; gas, phone; $12. 523 51st st. Pied. 4438-W.

KREEKHOLM COURT—3-rm. sunny lower flat; nr. K. R.; $16. 594 43th st., nr. Shat.

LOWER FLAT 4 rooms, $12. 1415 Linden st.

MODERN sunny, all outside rooms; 3 and 4 rooms; priv. ont. 3111 West st.

NEW cozy fur. upper; lower flats; sleeping pch.; water; elec. free. 542 Magnolia st.; Lake 1658; also hkpg. rms.

ORANGE AV., 2669—3 and 4-rm. flats to let; sunny, high ground, near cars.

STRICTLY mod. 3 r., garage. 2827 Chestnut; nicely fur., nr. cars; $18; adults.

UPPER flat 3 sunny rms. and bath, completely furn.; near cars and K. R.; good neighborhood; rent $25. Pied. 1028.

3 RM. nicely furn. flat; cheap; side, entrance. 1093 Campbell st.; Lake 2196.

$20—5-RM. sunny flat; also 4 rms., $15. 1381 8th st. Pied. 2663.

FLATS FOR SALE

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HOUSES TO LET—UNFURNISHED

ATTRACTIVE 5-rm. bungalow nr. Technical High School car lines; pretty garden; good neighborhood; snap, $22.50. 346 51st.

AA—MODERN residence 7 rooms, garage, on Lake Merritt, 242 Lakeshore blvd. Merritt 2864.

TWO-ROOM cottage in rear, partly furnished, to woman who works; rent reas. Phone Oakland 3128.

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HOUSES TO LET—UNFURNISHED. (Continued.)

A 5-ROOM bungalow, Melrose; elegant, mod.; nr. S. P. locals. Ph. Merritt 191.

A 3-R. cottage, elect., gas, $9 up; water free. 3429 Wilson av. (Diamond car).

FOR RENT—My 8-room mod. residence, Fourth Ave. Terrace; sleep. decks, 2 bathrooms, garage; beautiful view; $35. Phone Berkeley 4668.

MODERN bungalows, sunny flats, separate yards; near Claremont Key. cars, schools. Youngs, 518 55th st. Ph. Pied. 3204.

MOD. 5-rm. bungalow, water heater, $20; water free. 869 49th st. Pied. 3104.

TWO 4-room cotgs.; big yard. Call 2123 or 2121 E. 25th st.; rent $19 and $11.

VERY convenient four-room apt., unfurnished; one block from Lake Merritt; wall bed and bedroom; all conveniences. Apply at premises or phone to DeKay & Co., Berk. 119.

$12.50—MOD. 4-rm. bungalow, large lot, chicken yard; nr. 2 car lines; 20 min. to city hall. S. P., E. Rt. Ph. evenings 7-8. Mer. 1334.

6-ROOM cottage, modern; large variety fruit and berries; $15. 2647 C st., Elmhurst. Phone Piedmont 3714-J.

4-ROOM sunny modern cottage; walking distance Key Route; $16. Phone Merritt 1902.

5-ROOM modern house and garage. 664 46th st.; Wm. Hoffschneider, 1610 Broadway. Ph. Oak. 369.

2-STORY 8 rm. mod. house, hardwood floors; reasonable to good tenant. 487 36th st.

5-ROOM cottage, high basement with or without garage. 5157 Shafter ave. Pied. 1990.

3 MODERN bungalows; rents $25; up. Maxwell, 4398 Piedmont ave.

7-ROOM house, 1931 Filbert st., $22. See it; you will like it.

$30—6-RM. 2-story, mod.; close to 55th-Grove K. R. Phone Fruitvale 600-J.

4-ROOM flat to rent, unfurn., $14, with elec., gas, bath, laundry. 628 Sycamore.

5 RMS., bath; good neighborhood; $25. 114 Sunnyside, nr. Oklnd av. Pied. 431.

6 RM. cottage on 5th ave., with lawn and flowers. Merr. 4414.

4 RMS. and bath, large lot; rent $10. Phone Fruit 4003.

HOUSES TO LET—FURNISHED

A CLEAN, sunny 5-rm. mod. cottage; arranged in 2 apt.; will rent separate or as a whole. 1511 Chestnut st.

A SNAP, furniture, piano, $275; house for rent. Phone Pied. 5268J.

AAA—5-ROOM bungalow, nicely furn., nr. K. R. and Grove st. car. 747 44th.

A 3-ROOM bungalow or 3-rm apartment, 1528 Fruitvale av.

BEAUTIFULLY fur. 7-rm. home; piano; hardwood floors; $45 per month. Merr. 1962.

COMPLETELY furnished 5-room cottage; gas water heater; 1 blk. to K. R.; $35. 848 Isabella st., 9 to 2.

FOR RENT—To reliable party, practically new bungalow in Westmoreland Park, Berkeley, partially furnished; good neighborhood; house and furniture first class. Inquire B. G. Ensign, First Savings Bank Bldg., Oakland.

FINE four-room furnished apt.; one block from Lake Merritt; private entrance, first floor; $40. Apply at premises or phone DeKay & Co., Berk. 119.

FIVE rooms and sleeping porch bungalow; furnished, piano; very attractive. 5353 College av.; open 10 to 4. Oak. 4544

FIRST-CLASS cottage; 4 rms.; mod. conv. 2903 Grove st.; near trains.

FURN. house, 7 rms., sleeping porch. Oak. 8913.

FINE mod. sunny 5-r. house; central; place for car; $25. Oak. 1245.

NICELY furn., mod. 4-rm. bungalow; reas. to good tenant. 1050 48th st., nr. San Pablo; phone Piedmont 2974-J.

TWO-STORY 6 rooms and bath, newly furnished; all modern, high class house. 2528 Summit st., or Myers & White, Agents, 13th and Webster sts.

WELL furnish. 4 rooms, bath, yard; nice home; permanent people. Oak. 5403 for key.

5-ROOM bungalow, $15 40th st.; key one block; complete, piano, $35. Phone Oakland 4142. Rent or lease.

5-RM. and bath furn. cottage; cheap to right party. 4058 Mera; ph. Ftv. 1513-J.

5-ROOM cottage; gas, elec., piano; beautiful; bath; on car line. 1320 E. 14th st.

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SIGNS AND SHOW CARDS.

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Column 12

AUTOMOBILES.

A—Bargains in Used Cars

Buick 5-pass.	$650
Studebaker 5-pass., elec. lights, start	$600
Hudson, mod. 33, lights and starter	$[illegible]
Hudson, model 33	$275
Studebaker, 1915, Roadster, 3 pass.	$600
Studebaker, 1911	$225
Twin Indian Motorcycle	$100

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LOTS FOR SALE.

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BARGAIN sale—Acre on Foothill blvd., 1½ blks to Chevrolet factory. Ph. Oak. 9144, a. m. or eve.

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BARGAINS in lots, Lower Claremont dist.; also houses. 442 Rose st., Oak.

CHOICE corner 50x140, 24th av. Apply 2240 E. 19th st. Fruitvale 810.

EQUITY $700; lot 50x100; Stonehurst; cheap or trade; what have you? Ph. Fruitvale 820-W.

FOR SALE—Lot 50x120; good location; must sacrifice. See property and make offer. Box 5320, Trib.

Column 13

LOTS FOR SALE—Continued

Lots
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I am a builder and own 20 beautiful lots in Northbrae, Berkeley, with all street work, curbing, sewers in.
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Column 15

MONEY TO LOAN—Chattels and Salaries

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MONEY TO LOAN—REAL ESTATE (Continued.)

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LOANS ON REAL ESTATE; NO DELAY. Current rates; any amount.
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REAL ESTATE LOANS.
Any amount, 6% and 7%.
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HAVE ready money for any good loan from $200 to $10,000. 71 Bacon Bldg. Oak. 3710.

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$1000 SECURITY, good corner lot, 50x120, main st., railroad divisional town, Saskatchewan, Canada; clear (Torren's title); assessed tax valuation, $1750; 1 or 2 years, 8%. Owner, Box 5192, Trib.

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$1250 ALASKA SEAL coat, bought this Xmas; absolutely new; latest style; size 40-42; $500. C. W. Reeder, Hotel Sutter, Oakland.

2 PRIV. standard billiard tables; complete, cues and balls; best that's made; ½ of their cost. 5032 Dover st.

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AAA—HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR CAST-OFF CLOTHING; WE ARE THE LARGEST DEALERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST, AND PAY FOR MEN'S SUITS $2 TO $10; WE CALL. 503 7TH ST.; PHONE LAKESIDE 4185.

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THE highest price paid for furniture, carpets, rugs, etc., also grocery, dry goods, stationery and hardware stores. Feigenberg Bros., 501 Clay st.; phone Oak. 2005.

WILL PAY cash for your piano. Apply 502 15th st., door off Teleg. av., or ph. George Fields. Lakeside 4793.

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FURNITURE FOR SALE.

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MODERN furniture of 8 rooms, $125; great sacrifice; flat to let. 625 Jones st., near Grove.

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FURNITURE wanted; will give more than you can get elsewhere. Oak. 2005.

FINE large mahogany dining table and chairs; first class condition. P. 1257-J.

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FOR SALE—6 head of ranch horses and mares, 1 single wagon horse and harness. 4146 E. 14th st.

FOR SALE—One bay mare, wt. 1250 lbs.; sound, gentle. Pied. 2799; inquire 3320 Adeline, So. Berk.

GOOD horse, spring wagon and harness. 256 28th st.; phone Lakeside 3137.

HORSE and wagon at a bargain, $60. Full particulars, Pied. 3345; may be seen at B. E. C. Co., 3259 Adeline st.

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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

BUTCHER shop, 2011 23d av., furnished; to let; fine store, modern fix; $20. See landlord, 2274 East 20th st.

BEST 24-r. rooming house; boarding; some cash and good car will take it; leaving. Phone Elm. 871.

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CANDY, grocery, delicatessen; next to new school; 4 liv. rms.; rent $30; inv. $300. See owner, 1735 Russell, Berkeley.

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GROCERY STORE for sale, near Technical High; guaranteed good business; other interests demand attention. Box 5191, Tribune.

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INCOME business cor.; must be sold. See owner on premises, S.W. cor. 26th and Grove sts.

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NEWLY furn. apt. hotel; clears $150 mo.; 72 rms.; close in; lease 6 years; $3.50 rm.; mod. throughout; $2500, terms. Owner, Box 15558, Tribune.

PORTABLE moving picture show under tent; 10 reels film; $300. Call 10 to 1. 1550 42d av.

RESTAURANT thoroughly and beautifully equipped; seats 56; counter and tables; few doors from 14th and Broadway. Call 1524 San Pablo av.

TRIANGLE REAL ESTATE CO.
105 Bacon Bldg. Lakeside 1526.
$375—Fruit store, good location, must sell.
$550—Grocery, good location, living rms.
$450—Grocery, good location, living rms.
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We have a large listing. Can place you right.

WANTED—Lady who understands baking and cooking as a partner in delicatessen and grocery, doing good business. Piedmont 1422.

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February 14, 1916.

41,053—Fitzgerald estate, G. J. Surryhine; $35.
41,084—Wong On, self; $75.
41,085—G. Wilson, R. Harbon; $50.
41,086—J. M. McElroy, T. Furuta; $62.
41,087—W. Black, A. L. Haley; $1000.
41,088—Same as above; $1000.
41,089—F. M. Boyce, C. O. Bradhoff; $800.
41,090—A. C. Broderick, P. N. Wiglund; $13,500.
41,091—J. Haberlin, self; $75.
41,092—S. Currich, J. Rissi; $75.
41,093—S. N. Wood & Co., Bradshaw Sign Co.; $650.
41,094—J. A. Bishoff, self; $3000.
41,095—Moss Glove Store, Bradshaw Sign Co.; $350.
41,096—S. Arena, Bradshaw Sign Co.; $100.
41,097—J. Bakewell, H. C. Knight; $800.
41,098—J. B. Mitchell, P. A. Newby; $1400.
41,099—Mrs. H. M. Kerr, E. S. Rees; $100.
41,100—Episcopal Bishop, J. R. Faulkes; $85.

41,083—S. 10th st., 150 E. Broadway; roof repairs; owner, Fitzgerald estate prem.; builder, G. J. Surryhine, 431 15th st.; estimated cost, $35.

41,084—1694 7th st., alterations; owner, Wong On, 389 6th st.; builder, self; estimated cost, $75.

41,085—1550 San Pablo, alterations; owner, G. Wilson, prem.; builder, R. Horton, 1815 Goss; estimated cost, $50.

41,086—621 Tenth st., alterations; owner, J. M. McElroy, 7th and Myrtle; builder, T. Furoto prem.; estate cost, $62.

41,087—S. Boehmer, 50 E. Boehmer, 1-story 4-room dwelling; owner, William Black, 1533 San Pablo; builder, A. L. Haley, 1533 San Pablo; estimated cost, $1000.

41,088—S. Boehmer, 235 E. Boehmer; same as above.

41,089—S. 23rd st., 100 West Broadway, 1-story brick garage; owner, F. M. Boyce, 417 23rd st.; builder, C. O. Bradhoff, 911 55th st.; estimated cost, $800.

41,090—N. Miles ave., 70 W. College, 3-room 27-room apartments; owner, Anita C. Broderick; builder, P. N. Wiglund, Builders' exchange; estimated cost, $13,500.

41,091—2648 25th ave., alterations; owner, James Haberlin, prem.; builder, self; estimated cost, $75.

41,092—926 Broadway, brick range; owner, Steve Curich, 525 11th st.; builder, J. Riesi, 420 10th st.; estimated cost, $75.

41,093—S. W. cor. 14th and Washington, electric sign; owner, S. N. Wood & Co., prem.; builder, Bradshaw Electric Sign Co., 2063 Broadway; estimated cost, $650.

41,094—E. Claremont, app. Hillegass, 2-story 7-room dwelling; owner, John A. Bischoff, 6045 Harwood; builder, self; estimated cost, $3000.

41,095—W. Washington, 75 S. 14th st., electric sign; owner, Moss Glove Store; builder, Bradshaw Electric Sign Co.

41,096—828 Broadway, electri sign; owner, S. Arena prem.; builder, Bradshaw Electric Sign Co.; estimated cost, $160.

41,097—2121 Grove st., alterations; owner, John Bakewell, Oakland; builder, Harry C. Knight, 1511 Havenscourt boulevard; estimated cost, $800.

41,098—S. Edgerly, 175 E. 55th ave., 1-story 4-room dwelling; owner, J. E. Mitchell, 1752 Broadway; builder P. A. Newby, 1431 79th ave.; estimated cost, $1400.

41,099—2166 E. 27th st., alterations; owner, Mrs. H. M. Kerr, 202 Soto st., Hayward; builder, E. S. Rees, 1111 Alice st.; estimated cost, $100.

41,100—N. W. cor. 96th ave. and Plymouth alterations; owner, Episcopal Bishop, S. F.; builder, John R. Faulkes, 9528 E. 12th st.; estimated cost, $85.

DEEDS FILED FEBRUARY 14.

33,407—Henry A. Dodge to Lena Osborn, E 25 ft of lot 13, block 2037, map of Alden tract, Oakland; $10.

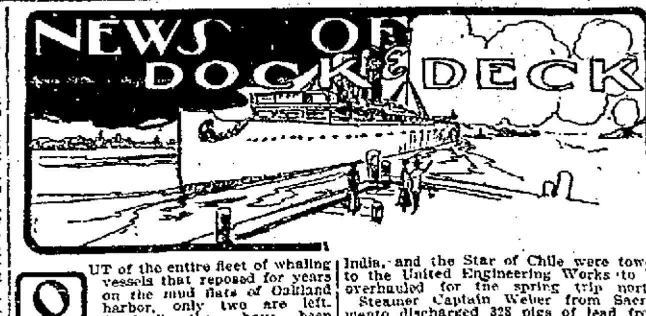
33,413—Bertha A. and Alfred G. Schlek to William C. Tait, lot 4, block 4, map of Kinsell tract No. 2, Brooklyn township; $10.

33,414—William C. and Eloisa Tait to Bertha A. Schleck, lots 19 and 20, block O, map of re-subdivision, Kinsell tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

33,416—State Savings Bank to Martha Bergendahl and Knut Bergendahl, northwest of Octavia, 230 ft southwest of Peninman ave., southwest 100xNW 100, Oakland, $10.

33,421—W. M. and Blanche Martin to Yuluga Land and Water Co., lot 19, block 8, lot 20, block 8; lot 9, block 10, map of Melrose Hghs. Brooklyn township; subject to contract; $10.

33,137—Alameda Investment Co. to Estelle H. Nichols, southwest 10 ft of lot 26, all of lot 23, block 2, map of Key Route Heights, Oakland; subject to contract; $10.



OUT of the entire fleet of whaling vessels that reposed for years on the mud flats of Oakland harbor, only two are left. Gradually they have been hauled from the middle ground of the harbor and pressed into service as freight carriers to foreign ports. That these old vessels have been restored is due to the enormous rise in freight rates caused by the European war.

Within the last twenty-four hours two more whalers have started on their way to off-shore trade. These are the Thrasher and Hermann, vessels that have been in the harbor for years. The Thrasher was brought to the United Engineering Works, where she will have a general overhauling, with special attention paid to her boilers and engine room. She will be fitted for deep water trade and will probably ply between this port and Australia. Another whaler to emerge from her long hiding is the old bark Hermann, that is now at the Atlas Gas Engine works in East Oakland having a gas engine installed in place of her steam engines. This vessel, it is understood, will be placed in the trade between California and Alaska this summer.

This leaves but two whalers on the mud flats, the John and Winthrop and the Beluga. They are both sailing crafts with steam auxiliary and were in the whaling trade for many years. It is very likely that these vessels will be sailing again with the opening up of spring weather.

BROOM CORN BROUGHT FOR BLIND ASYLUM.

Several shipments of broom corn have been brought from river points recently for the Adult Blind Asylum by the steamer San Joaquin. There was 30 tons in the last shipment. The corn stalks are used at the asylum to manufacture brooms.

WASHTENAW TAKES CONDEMNED GEAR FROM THE UNITED.

When the steam schooner Washtenaw sailed from the United Engineering Works yesterday for Monterey, she took a large deckload of condemned life boats, life preservers, rafts and machinery, which was to be thrown overboard when the steamer was well out to sea. As most of the boats and rafts were still in a condition to float, the steamers entering the harbor for the next few days will report having seen wreckage and life saving apparatus afloat off shore. It will not be a surprise if some of the steamers come in towing a discarded boat or two.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS IN OAKLAND HARBOR.

A Santa Fe barge of freight cars was towed by the tug A. H. Payson from Point Richmond to Oakland harbor.

The gas schooner Surf left the harbor. She has been to the Atlas Gas Engine works to have her engine overhauled.

Other vessels leaving the harbor were the tug Petrel, barge of the Bay Cities Transportation Company, the barge Ethel and the gas tugs Starlight, Gatun, Dixie, Phoenix, Crowley No. 7 and Ancon.

Steamer Unimak, of the Alaska Packers' fleet, was towed to Moore & Scott's shipyard to be put in shape to sail north next month for the spring salmon pack.

Freighter Four Sisters arrived with a mixed cargo for local merchants.

Steam schooner South Coast arrived with a cargo of lumber.

Eight gas tugs brought tows up the channel through the Webster street drawbridge.

The Alaska Packers ships the Star of India, and the Star of Chile were towed to the United Engineering Works to be overhauled for the spring trip north.

Steamer Captain Weber from Sacramento discharged 328 pigs of lead from Selby's at the quay wall for the bark W. B. Flint. The lead is to be taken to Alaska for the Libby, McNeil & Libby fish canneries. The Captain Weber took out 525 cases of canned goods for Sacramento.

SUN, MOON AND TIDE

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY—Time and Height of tides at Fort Point. For Oakland Harbor Lighthouse add 31 minutes. For San Francisco front Mission street wharf, add 25 minutes. San Pablo bay (McNear's Landing), add 1 hour 2 minutes. Carquinez Straits (Mare Island Light), add 1 hour 46 minutes. Benicia, add 2 hours 28 minutes. Suisun Bay (Antioch), add 3 hours 54 minutes (Standard time).

Thursday, February 17.

Sun rose ....6:58 | Sun sets 5:51
Moon sets ....6:01 a. m.
Full moon ....February 18, at 6:19 a. m.
Moon's last quarter......Feb. 20, at 1:14 p. m.

February 17 to February 23.

Day of Mo.	Time T.	Height H.	Time T.	Height H.	Time T.	Height H.	Time T.	Height H.
17	4:05	2.8	10:12	5.7	17:04	-0.1	23:50	4.7
18	4:48	2.5	10:50	5.6	17:34	0.0	—	—
19	0:18	4.8	5:26	2.2	11:29	5.4	18:03	0.3
20	0:45	4.9	6:09	1.9	12:09	5.1	18:31	0.6
21	1:07	5.1	6:53	1.6	12:54	4.8	18:59	1.1
22	1:27	5.2	7:41	1.2	13:46	4.4	19:28	1.6
23	1:49	5.4	8:33	1.0	14:51	4.0	20:03	2.1

Note—In the above tabulations of the tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand column and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth occurring the following morning.

The columns of heights give the elevation of each tide above or below the level of Coast Survey chart sounding. The numbers are always additive to the chart depths unless preceded by a minus sign, or dash (-), when the numbers are subtracted from the depths given on the chart.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

TO ARRIVE.

Steamer. From—	Date.
President—San Diego	Feb. 18
Ohioan—Hilo	Feb. 18
Admiral Dewey—Seattle	Feb. 18
Senator—Seattle	Feb. 18
Shinyo Maru II—Yokohama	Feb. 19
Crown of Seville—Puget sound	Feb. 19
Coronado—Grays Harbor	Feb. 19
Hyades—Hilo	Feb. 19
Roanoke—Portland	Feb. 19
City of Topeka—Eureka	Feb. 19
Sea Foam—Mendocino	Feb. 19
Yale—Los Angeles	Feb. 19
Aroline—Los Angeles	Feb. 19
Governor—Seattle	Feb. 20
Klamath—Seattle	Feb. 20
Phoenix—Eureka	Feb. 20
Beaver—Los Angeles	Feb. 20
Chiyo Maru—Hongkong	Feb. 21
San Jose—Balboa	Feb. 21
Bear—Portland	Feb. 21
F. A. Kilburn—Portland	Feb. 21
Yale—Los Angeles	Feb. 21
Aurelia—San Pedro	Feb. 21
Avalon—Los Angeles	Feb. 21
Norwood—Grays Harbor	Feb. 21
Willamette—Los Angeles	Feb. 21
Lurline—Honolulu	Feb. 22
Wapama—Astoria	Feb. 22
Queen—San Diego	Feb. 22
Admiral Schley—Seattle	Feb. 23
City of Topeka—Eureka	Feb. 23
Aroline—Los Angeles	Feb. 23

TO SAIL.

Seattle Maru—Yokohama	Feb. 18
Breakwater—Astoria	Feb. 18
Queen—Los Angeles	Feb. 18
Yellowstone—Coos Bay	Feb. 18
Homer—Santa Cruz	Feb. 18
Wairuna—Wellington	Feb. 18
G. C. Lindauer—Grays Harbor	Feb. 18
Yosemite—Grays Harbor	Feb. 18
Elizabeth—Coquille River	Feb. 18
Wairuna—Wellington	Feb. 18
G. C. Lindauer—Grays Harbor	Feb. 18
Yosemite—Grays Harbor	Feb. 18
Celilo—Astoria	Feb. 18
Pasadena—Albion	Feb. 19
Coronado—Los Angeles	Feb. 19
Arakan—Hongkong	Feb. 19
City of Puebla—Hongkong	Feb. 19
Pennsylvania—Kobe	Feb. 19
President—Seattle	Feb. 19
Roanoke—Santa Barbara	Feb. 19
North Fork—Eureka	Feb. 19
Aroline—Los Angeles	Feb. 19
Yale—Los Angeles	Feb. 19
Admiral Dewey—Seattle	Feb. 20
City of Topeka—Eureka	Feb. 20
Klamath—Los Angeles	Feb. 20
Crown Seville—London	Feb. 20
O. M. Clark—Mazatlan	Feb. 20
Pennsylvania—Kobe	Feb. 21
City of Para—Balboa	Feb. 21
Svea—Grays Harbor	Feb. 21
Yale—Los Angeles	Feb. 21
Governor—Los Angeles	Feb. 21
Beaver—Astoria	Feb. 21
Willamette—Grays Harbor	Feb. 21
Raymond—Willapa Harbor	Feb. 21
Nann Smith—Coos Bay	Feb. 21
Norwood—Los Angeles	Feb. 21
Humboldt—Seattle	Feb. 22
Wapama—Los Angeles	Feb. 22
Aurelia—Santa Cruz	Feb. 22
Avalon—Los Angeles	Feb. 22
Matsonia—Honolulu	Feb. 23

ARMY TRANSPORT NEWS.

The Dix steamed from Manila for Seattle on January 15.

The Sheridan is at Manila.

The Sherman is in port.

The Thomas arrived at Honolulu from San Francisco February 13.

The Logan arrived at Honolulu from Balboa February 13, and steamed for Manila.

FOREIGN AND AMERICAN VESSELS IN PORT ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

The following table gives name of port in which vessels arrive, date and where from. Subject to change on telegraphic information.

Vessel and arrival	From	Location
Shimpo Maru, Jan. 7	Shanghai	Puget sound
Commerce, Jan. 15	Levuka	Oakland
Ixion, Jan. 22	Hongkong	Puget sound
Crown Seville, Jan. 24	San Fran	Puget sd.
Glenshee, Jan. 24	Makatea	Honolulu
Koko Head, Jan. 19	Port Pirie	Puget sound
Mario, Jan. 21	Callao	Puget sound
Langdale, Jan. 12	Fremantle	Columbia R
Guaytecas, Jan. 30	Antofagasta	Honolulu
Kagoshima Maru, Jn. 30	San Fran	Powell R
Inca, Jan. 31	Adelaide	Colum. river
Alta, Jan. 31	S. Fran.	Humboldt bay
Tridonia, Jan. 30	Newcastle	Columbia riv.
Coolgardie, Feb. 3	Sydney	Powell river
Bayard, Feb. 4	Sea in dis	Pier 47
Manila Maru, Feb. 5	Hongkong	Puget Sd.
Greystone Castle, Feb. 7	Vladivostok	Col. river
Hermes, Feb. 7	Vladivostok	Puget sound
J. H. Bruce, Feb. 7	S. Fran.	Humboldt bay
Yeltai Maru, Feb. 7	Manila	Puget Sd.
Wascana, Feb. 7	Muroran	Colum. river
Celticburn, Feb. 8	Montevideo	Puget Sd.
Sinaloa, Feb. 4	Mejillones	Puget sd.
Seattle Maru, Feb. 9	Kobe	Pier 39
Pennsylvania, Feb. 10	Balboa	Pier 42
Encore, Feb. 10	Cape Town	Vancouver
Ido Maru, Feb. 10	Shanghai	Victoria
Nippon Maru, Feb. 10	San Fran.	Yokohama
M. E. Foster, Feb. 10	Honolulu	Puget sd.
Koshosan Maru, Feb. 11	Muroran	Pier 30
Hawaiia, Feb. 11	Newcastle	Pt. Allen
Makura, Feb. 11	Sydney	Vancouver
Tacoma Maru, Feb. 11	Hongkong	Puget sd.
Wm. Chatham, Feb. 13	San Fran.	Victoria
Alaskan, Feb. 10	San Fran.	Puget sd.
F. Luckenbach, Feb. 14	New York	San Fran.
Ventura, Feb. 14	Sydney	Pier 37
Kiyo Maru, Feb. 14	Hongkong	Pier 34
Gen y Pesqueira, Fb. 14	Newcastle	Mission bay
Enmitoku Maru, Fb. 14	Japan	Honolulu
Walmarino, Feb. 14	Sydney	Vancouver
Matsonia, Feb. 15	Honolulu	Pier 28
Walruna, Feb. 15	Vancouver	Pier 23
H. Luckenbach, Feb. 15	San Fran	Puget sd.
Sado Maru, Feb. 15	Hongkong	Victoria
City of Papeete, Fb. 15	Guam	Off Powell
City of Puebla, Feb. 14	Seattle	Pier 38
Darien Maru, Feb. 15	San Francisco	Manila
Wilhelmina, Feb. 15	San Francisco	Honolulu

GOVERNMENT VESSELS IN PORT.

Vessel.	Classification.	Place.
Active	Convoy	San Francisco
Albatross	Fishery service	Uld. En. Wks
Arapahoe	Tender	Vallejo
Bear	Coast gd. cutter	Stream
Crook	Navy transport	U.S.A.T. dock
F-1	Submarine	Mare Island
F-2	Submarine	Mare Island
F-3	Submarine	Mare Island
Glacier	Supply ship	Mare Island
Hull	Destroyer	Mare Island
H-1	Submarine	Vallejo
Intrepid	Receiving ship	Vallejo
Justin	Collier	Vallejo
Lightship 70	U. S. Lighth. dept.	Goat Isl.
Madrono	U. S. Navy	Green
Marblehead	Training ship	San Francisco
Maryland	Cruiser	Vallejo
Maumee	U. S. Navy	Vallejo
Nero	Collier	Mare Island
Oregon	Battleship	Stream
Perry	Destroyer	Mare Island
Prometheus	Collier	Vallejo
Proteus	Collier	California City
Rainbow	Receiving ship	Goat Island
Raleigh	Cruiser	Vallejo
Sequoia	U. S. Navy	Goat Island
South Dakota	Cruiser	Vallejo
Whipple	Destroyer	Mare Island

TO ADVERTISE FRANCHISE.

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — A resolution adopted last night by the City Council ordered that bids be called for on the telephone franchise and that the date for their opening be placed at March 20.

This virtually means that the terms of the franchise which has been in debate between the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company have been decided upon and that the company will be given its franchise upon the terms originally asked.

Included in the franchise will be sections providing for a 41-year franchise, 20 free phones for the city and an annual tax of 2 per cent upon the gross receipts of the company to commence immediately.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER PRESCRIBING NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION TO DECLARE CHILD ABANDONED.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Bernardino, sitting in separate session as a Juvenile Court.

In the matter of Viola Belle Rice, an abandoned child.

It appearing to the Court from the petition of G. F. Whitty on file herein that Viola Belle Rice is an abandoned child within the meaning of Section 224 of the Civil Code of the State of California.

It is ordered that all persons interested do appear before the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Bernardino, sitting in separate session as a Juvenile Court in Department 2 thereof on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M., then and there to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted and the said Viola Belle Rice be declared an abandoned child as aforesaid.

It is further ordered that notice of the time and place of the said hearing be given the parents and relatives of said child by application of this order once a week for four weeks prior to the said hearing in the Evening Index of San Bernardino, a newspaper printed and published in the County of San Bernardino, and daily for one week in the Tribune of Oakland, Alameda County, California.

DONE IN OPEN COURT this 24th day of January, 1916.

H. T. DEWHIRST,
Judge of the Superior Court.

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HARBOR PROJECT NEAR AGREEMENT

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — An adjourned session of the City Council was held this morning with representatives of the Bay Counties Land Company, in an attempt to arrive at some agreement on the much discussed harbor improvement plans.

The city is ready to expend $175,000 out of the harbor fund for a bulkhead and dredging in the inner harbor, if the land company will pay its share in the improvements which would greatly benefit property of the company.

"The city is ready to go ahead with this work right now. All we are waiting for is that the Bay Counties company should accede to the city's demands. If they will do this there will be something done within a very short while," said Mayor E. J. Garrard.

Although the matter was not entirely settled, it was understood this morning that the company had agreed to enough to make the improvements certain. The agreement by which the city will receive clear title to 30 acres of land for the channel will be presented to the council on next Monday evening.

Marriages, Etc.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

CLIFF-FERGUSON—William J. Cliff, 46, Oakland, and Ida M. Ferguson, 40, Haywards.
MAXWELL-LINDSAY—Isaac Maxwell, 38, Vallejo, and Mary E. Lindsay, 39, Oxnard.
NEWMAN-GREENE—Roy A. Newman, 22, Novato, and Ruby M. Green, 20, Oakland.
PIOMBO-DEVINCENZ—Pierto Piombo, 21, and Lena Devincenz, 18, both of Oakland.
REED-LORETZ—Thomas F. Reed, 24, and Alma J. Loretz, 24, both of Oakland.
TAYLOR-WHITING—James H. Taylor, 25, Vallejo, and Marie Whiting, 20, Berkeley.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT.

BYRNE—February 10, to the wife of Patrick J. Byrne, a daughter.
BAZLEY—February 16, to the wife of Charles William Bazley, a daughter.
BLYTHER—February 15, to the wife of Chester A. Blyther, a son.
DUSIO—February 8, to the wife of Armand Dusio, a daughter.
HAAS—February 13, to the wife of Charles Albert Haas, a son.
JOHNSON—February 13, to the wife of George Johnson, a daughter.
QUINTAL—February 14, to the wife of Jo Quintal, a daughter.
SANDELIN—February 4, to the wife of Alfred A. Sandelin, a son.
SQUARSINO—February 8, to the wife of Pacifico Squarsino, a daughter.
WILSON—February 15, to the wife of Clinton C. Wilson, a daughter.
WALDEN—February 15, to the wife of Frank H. Walden, a daughter.

DEATHS

AMES—In this city, Marie L. Ames, beloved wife of Will C. Ames, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fogarty and sister of Mrs. C. De Golia and William G. and Sherman S. Fogarty, a native of California, aged 36 years.

Funeral services will be held Friday, February 18, 1916, at 11 o'clock a. m., from her late home, 503 Athol avenue, East Oakland. Incineration private.

CUNNINGHAM—In this city, February 16, 1916, Mary Walsh Cunningham, dearly beloved wife of J. J. Cunningham, devoted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Walsh, sister of Rose and Elizabeth Walsh, niece of Mrs. J. Vietheer, a native of Oakland, Cal.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Friday, February 18, 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m., from her late residence, 1044 Fourteenth street, thence to St. Patrick's church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Interment, St. Mary's cemetery, by automobile.

EBERLEIN—In Elmhurst, February 15, 1916, William, beloved husband of Amelia Ann Eberlein, loving father of Mrs. Amelia A. Bourne, William Charles Eberlein and Mrs. Martha C. Williams, grandfather of Beatrice C. Williams, a native of Hamburg, Germany, aged 78 years, 4 months and 12 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Friday, February 18, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the residence parlors of C. N. Cooper, 9032 East Fourteenth street, corner Ninety-second avenue. Interment, Mt. View cemetery. (Marysville papers please copy).

HOLTON—In this city, February 14, 1916, Edward P. Holton, dearly beloved husband of Cleo Holton, loving brother of James Holton of Seattle, John Holton of Missouri and Arthur Holton, a native of Missouri, aged 46 years, 2 months and 24 days. Member of Damon Lodge, No. 1, K. of P., of Butte, Mont., and D. O. K. K. Remains at Ernest A. Wollitz' parlors, 1935 Webster street.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Saturday, February 19, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., from Pythian Castle, corner Twelfth and Alice, under the auspices of Oakland Lodge, No. 103, K. of P.

All members of K. of P. are requested to attend. By order.
M. C. VAUGHN, C. C.
J. DENNISON, K. of R. & S.

KENISON—In Berkeley, February 16, 1916, Elizabeth Evangeline, beloved wife of Hiram Kenison, mother of Verna Kenison, sister of Eva Nason of Pipestone, Minn., a native of Wisconsin, aged 54 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, Friday, February 18, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the S. D. A. church, Fairview street, between California and King streets, South Berkeley. Deceased at J. E. Henderson's parlors, Telegraph avenue and Twenty-third street, Oakland.

LEVI—In this city, February 16, 1916, Percy M. Levi, beloved husband of Nettie A. Levi, and father of Donald and Robert Levi, brother of Bert, Charles and Frank Levi and Mrs. Ella Brown and Mrs. Lucy Hewlett, a native of California, aged 30 years. Late a member of Apollo Lodge, No. 896, F. & A. M.

Funeral services private this (Thursday) evening, February 17, 1916, at 8 o'clock, at the parlors of the Albert Brown Company, 584 Thirteenth street, Oakland, under the auspices of Apollo Lodge, No. 896, F. & A. M.

LOCKE—In Berkeley, February 15, Marie Locke, mother of Charles, Paul, Hermanda and William Locke and Mrs. H. Wolff, sister of Mrs. E. Sohler, a native of Germany, aged 50 years.

McCARTHY—In this city, of diphtheria, February 16, James Patrick, dearly beloved son of Daniel and Katherine McCarthy, loving brother of Dennis H., Katherine F. and Theresa A. McCarthy, a native of Oakland.

MEADOWS—In this city, February 15, 1916, Sarah C. Meadows, beloved wife of J. W. Meadows and mother of Mrs. Sam Firth, a native of Ontario, Canada, aged 58 years, 5 months and 0 days.

Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Friday, February 18, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the residence of the Truman Undertaking Co., 2035 Telegraph avenue, southwest corner Thirtieth street, Oakland. Interment, Evergreen cemetery, by auto.

: TRIBUNE'S PAGE OF BUSINESS, MARKETS AND FINANCE :

LIGHT TRADING ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

Professional Offerings Cause Trend Toward Weak Prices

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The Stock Exchange today furnished little in the way of features. Trading was largely professional and unusually light during most of the session. What there was displayed a trend toward weak prices. Although declines were not great very many of the speculative issues underwent downward revision mainly as a result of professional offerings.

Technically the market appears weak, although absorptions of offerings and foreign selling have been better than expected by anybody. Experts are prophesying a break and many are hoping for it in the expectation that it will clear the atmosphere.

The reports spread about Wall Street yesterday concerning the likelihood of British and Canadian governments resorting to heavy corporation taxation did all the damage they could in the one session and Canadian Pacific and other stocks affected rallied today and held their gains, such as they were. Mercantile Marine, which lost on rumors Wednesday of British drastic regulations was also two points higher at the opening today and held up throughout the session.

Losses of one to two points were registered in Crucible Steel, New York Air Brake, Mexican Petroleum, American Smelting and other active issues, while numerous shares were lower by substantial fractions.

PROFESSIONAL ADVICES.

Hutton wire says: German complications loom up stronger than ever. As already noted one strong interest working against the market is the congested position in industrial stocks. The banks have all of these that they want. As railroads are not speculated in to any extent, it is extremely difficult for a commission house to make the class of loan that the institutions require. This means 2 or 3 per cent higher has to be paid on industrial money than on railroads. The purchase of the Pennsylvania Steel Company by Bethlehem Steel interests leaves the Lackawanna Steel one of the few large companies of this character not in any combination. There was some of what is called "good buying" in Marine preferred. Today's market is influenced by the foreign situation, but as people are becoming used to this subject it has the bearing it would have had six months ago.

New York Financial News: General aspect of the stock market exhibits no important change from that of trading status except that sentiment becomes more unsettled on he appearance of specific weakness and fresh unfavorable news on international affairs. There is a general conclusion that the allies' pledge to restore Belgium means a long war and it is understood that in preparation therefore some immense orders will be placed for steel and copper during the next few weeks. This may stimulate the war equipment issues and coppers. The evidence of an extremely vacillating policy by the administration in submarine and Mexican affairs is causing much caustic comment in banking circles, while the Canadian corporation tax proposal is viewed from the point of inspiration for Washington Congressmen to offer bills along the same lines. Mexican conditions are causing some liquidation in Smelting, while foreign selling is renewed in St. Paul, Great Northern preferred, Union Pacific and Northern Pacific.

Clark-Childs say: The general feeling is that the market is not yet ready to ignore technical conditions, but the resistance to bearish efforts offered by steel and copper shares suggests that there will be good ground for better prices a little later.

NEW YORK STOCK RANGE.

The following quotations of prices of stocks and bonds on the New York Stock Exchange are from E. F. Hutton & Co.'s private wires, members of the New York Stock Exchange, with offices at the First National Bank building:

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
Alaska Gold	23	22⅝	22¾	22⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	..	..	110½	113¾
Allis Chalmers	30¾	30	30½	30¾
Do pfd	82¼	80	81¾	81½
Amn Can Co	62½	61⅝	61⅝	62⅛
Do pfd	..	..	110	112
Amn Car & Fdy	70	69½	69⅛	69⅝
Do pfd	..	..	117	119
Amn Beet Sugar	70⅛	69¾	69⅞	70
Do pfd	..	..	93	96
Amn Linseed	23⅛	23⅛	23	23½
Do pfd	..	..	41	41⅝
Amn Cotton Oil	..	..	53	54½
Do pfd	..	..	100	105
Amn Hide & Leather	..	..	9⅞	10½
Do pfd	50	49½	..	..
Amn Locomotive	65¾	65	65	65½
Do pfd	..	..	102	102½
Amn Steel Fdy	55	54½	54⅝	56
Amn Smelter	100⅞	99½	100⅛	100⅜
Do pfd	112½	112	112⅛	113½
Amn Sugar	..	..	112½	113
Do pfd	..	..	117¼	118
Amn Malt	..	..	8½	9
Amn Tobacco	192¼	190	190½	202
Anaconda	89⅜	88⅛	89	89½
Atchison	..	..	102⅞	103
Do pfd	101½	101⅛	101	101½
Amn Tel & Tel	127⅞	127¼	127¼	127⅜
Butte & Superior	92	87	91⅜	92
Baldwin Locomotive	112	108⅝	108⅝	108⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	88⅞	86⅛	86¾	87
Do pfd	..	..	76¾	76⅞
Bethlehem Steel	468⅜	408⅜	468	468½
B R T	86	85	85⅜	86
Crucible Steel	82⅝	79¾	80⅛	80⅝
Do pfd	113⅜	113	112⅛	113
Cuban Sugar	..	..	185	190
Continental Can	..	..	79⅞	80½
California Petroleum	..	..	31	31½
Do pfd	..	..	61	62
Canadian Pacific	169⅜	166½	168	168½
C & O	62	61	61⅞	62
Central Leather	53⅜	53	53⅜	53⅞
Do pfd	..	..	109⅛	110⅛
Chino Copper	57⅝	56¾	57⅛	57⅜
C G W	..	..	12⅞	13
C & N W	128⅛	128	129	129¼
C C C & St L	..	..	44	45
Colo Fuel & Iron	45⅞	44⅞	45⅛	45⅝
Colorado Southern	..	..	27	28
Do 1st pfd	..	..	47	52
Con Gas	137⅞	133	133⅞	134¾
Corn Products	21⅞	21⅝	21⅝	21⅞
Do pfd	95⅜	95½	95⅜	96
Dome	25¼	24½	24⅞	25⅛
Distillers Securities	..	..	47	47⅛
Erie	37	36⅛	36⅜	36⅞
Do 1st pfd	..	..	52⅞	53
Do 2d pfd	..	..	46	47
Electric Stor Battery	..	..	64½	66
Guggenheim	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅜
General Motor	..	..	455	467
Do pfd	..	..	113⅞	114
Goodrich	72⅛	71⅛	71⅛	71⅜
Do pfd	..	..	113	114
Great Northern pfd	120⅛	120⅛	120⅛	121
Do Ore Ctfs	46⅛	45	45	45⅛
Ind Alcohol	165⅛	151⅛	152	152¼
Do pfd	..	..	103⅛	103
Int Agr Corp	22	21⅛	22	24
Do pfd	..	..	62	62⅜
Ice Securities	29⅜	29⅛	30¼	31
Illinois Central	..	..	102⅛	103
Inspiration	46⅛	45⅛	46	46⅛
Int Harv N J	..	..	110⅛	111⅛
Interboro	17	16⅛	16⅞	18
Do pfd	72⅛	71⅞	71	71⅞
International Paper	..	..	10⅞	11
Do pfd	..	..	63⅞	67
Kansas City Southern	26⅛	26	26⅛	26⅛
Ligget & Meyers	..	..	256½	257
Lorillard Tobacco	..	..	194	198
Lackawanna Steel	78	77½	77½	78
Loose Wiles	..	..	17	18¼
Louisville & Nashville	124⅛	123⅛	122	124

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
Lehigh Valley	77⅛	76⅜	76⅞	77⅛
Mexican Nat 1st pfd	..	..	23	24½
Do 2d pfd	..	..	7½	8½
Maxwell Motor	69	..	68¼	65
Do 2d pfd	51½	51	51	51½
Montana Power	..	..	71¼	73
Miami Copper	..	..	36⅛	36⅝
Minn & St Louis	..	..	5½	6
M St P & S S M	..	..	120	123
M K & Texas pfd	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅜
Missouri Pacific	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	5
Mexican Petroleum	107½	105½	106	106¼
Do pfd	..	..	96	96½
National Lead	69	68½	68⅞	68⅞
Do pfd	..	..	113	116
National Enamel	26¼	26	25½	26½
N Y Air Brake	147½	145	140	147
N Y Central	105½	105	105⅛	105⅛
New Haven	68	67⅞	67⅞	68⅛
Norfolk & Western	117⅛	116⅛	116⅛	117⅛
Do pfd	..	..	83¾	85
North American	..	..	70	71
Northern Pacific	113	112½	113	113¼
Pullman	..	..	162½	164
Pacific Mail	16⅛	16⅜	16⅜	17
Pacific Tel & Tel	..	..	36½	39
Pennsylvania R R	57⅛	56⅞	57	57⅛
Peoples Gas	103	102⅜	102½	103
Pittsburg Coal	31⅜	30⅛	30⅛	31
Do pfd	..	..	105	108
Pressed Steel Car	56⅛	56	56⅛	57
Do pfd	..	..	102½	104
Ray Con	25⅛	24⅛	24⅛	25
Reading	77⅛	77	77⅛	77⅜
Republic Iron & Steel	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛	53
Do pfd	..	..	109	110
Rock Island	19	18⅛	18⅛	19⅛
Sears	180	179	179	180
Seaboard	..	..	17	17½
Do pfd	..	..	37⅛	38
Sloss Sheffield	..	..	57	59
Do pfd	..	..	90	93
St Louis & S F 1st pfd	..	..	8⅝	9½
Do 2d pfd	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛	7⅜
Southern Pacific	99⅛	99	99⅛	99⅜
Southern Railway	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	21
Do pfd	..	..	58¼	58½
St Paul	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛	95
Do pfd	..	..	127⅛	128
Studebaker	151⅛	148⅛	148⅛	149
Do pfd	..	..	110⅛	114
Third Avenue	..	..	59⅛	60⅛
Tennessee Copper	58⅛	57⅛	57⅛	58
Texas Oil	210	200½	..	..
Texas Pacific	..	..	9	9½
Union Bag pfd	..	..	28	29½
Union Pacific	133⅞	132⅞	133⅛	133⅜
Do pfd	83⅛	82⅞	82⅞	83⅛
United R R of S F	16⅛	16⅛	15	16⅛
Do pfd	32	31⅛	31	31⅛
U S Cast Iron P pfd	..	..	49	50
U S Rubber	52	51	52	53
Do 1st pfd	..	..	106⅛	107
United Cigar Mfg	59	59⅛	59⅛	60
U S Steel	83⅞	82⅞	83⅜	83⅛
Do pfd	117	117	116⅞	117⅛
Utah Copper	..	..	81⅛	81⅛
Virginia Chemical	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛	47
Do pfd	..	..	105	109½
Vulcan Detin	..	..	80	86
Wabash	14⅛	13⅞	14	14⅛
Do pfd	43⅛	42	43⅛	43⅛
Wells Fargo Express	..	..	125	130
Western Union	89	89⅛	89⅛	89
Westinghouse	66⅛	66	66	66⅛
Willys Overland	210	207	207	215
Wool	48⅛	48	47⅛	48⅛
Do pfd	..	..	97⅛	98
Wisconsin Central	..	..	36	37
West Maryland	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	27⅛
Woolworth	121⅛	120⅛	120	121
Do pfd	..	..	124	124⅛

Total sales, 467,800. Bonds, $3,025,000.

Money—High, 2 per cent; low, 1¾ per cent; closing bid, 1¾ per cent; asked, 2 per cent.

Junk Men Searching for Zinc and Copper

RICHMOND, Feb. 17. — The avidity with which junk men from San Francisco and Oakland are searching local plants and even private residences for all forms of old metal, particularly zinc and copper, indicates that the war has brought a great demand for this material. Junk men have been trying to buy the old metal from the Santa Fe railway shops here.

The shipment of junk from interior points to San Francisco and Oakland by both the Southern Pacific and Sante Fe railways has reached a figure seldom equalled.

FINANCING CAMBRIA PURCHASE.

Midvale bonds will be offered tomorrow on Wall street at price near par and interest, according to private wires of E. F. Hutton & Co. The new bonds to be issued bear interest at 5 per cent and are convertible into stock at $100 or twice the par value. The stock is now selling at $70 a share. The bond offering will be in the neighborhood of $50,000,000, the exact amount depending upon the total of Cambria stock which is turned in under the offer at $81 a share.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

HOTEL OAKLAND—Thomas Cuthlerston, New York; M. L. Abrams, New York; Mr. and Mrs. George Housken, Mrs. Charles Wagner, Stockton; H. R. Crane, Pasadena; C. J. Magee, Los Angeles; J. C. Dunlap, Chicago; Miss M. E. Murphy, Portland, Ore.; E. F. Murph, Eugene, Ore.; S. H. Voss, New York; Sam Frankenheimer, Stockton; Mrs. B. K. Ballard, Portland, Ore.; Claudia Albright, Marino Alneto, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. White, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benton, San Jose; Dr. W. R. Burch, Oakland; Thomas M. Potter, Peabody, Kan.; P. S. Cole and wife, Oakland; F. E. Quinn, Ohio; E. Peterson, N. C. Wolf, Turlock; Charles M. Ennis, San Mateo; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin, Turlock.

HOTEL ST. MARK—Frank S. Shields, Matt Rutter, E. Holland and wife, New York; Thos. Moore and wife, C. Hearn and wife, Freeport, N. Y.; John Gilchrist, Livermore; Katherine Martin, Isabel Johnson, Julia Ling, Lina Gelshon, Chicago; Hazel Thorpe, Seattle; W. A. Simmons, San Francisco; Mrs. M. B. Atkinson, Saratoga, Cal.; E. E. St. John, San Jose; W. N. Hickman, Los Angeles; S. G. Behmer, San Francisco; J. S. Smith, Richmond; H. M. Harges, Dee Lawrence, Tracy E. Walker, C. Michel, L. T. Hayes, San Francisco.

HOTEL TOURAINE—J. P. Laclep, Oakland; George Moncell, wife and sister, Berkeley; O. H. O'Dell and wife, Fresno; J. J. Summers, Santa Rosa; Miss Chamberlain, Santa Rosa; Frank Ada, Chowchilla; C. G. Alford, Woodland; Mr. and Mrs. Samuels, Sacramento; William O. Benter, Atascadero; M. A. McDonald and wife, Sacramento; F. Byrne and wife, Stockton; A. Weill and wife, Honolulu; J. H.; Mrs. O. B. Miller, Fresno; George C. Mullett, Los Angeles; Jack Berry, Los Angeles; B. S. MacPherson and wife, Pittsburg, Cal.

HESSIAN FLY IS MAKING TROUBLE

Higher Prices of Wheat on the Chicago Pit Due to Reports of Ravages.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Assertions by a leading crop expert that the Hessian fly had spread further west in Kansas than was the case last year and had infested a big wheat-producing territory, gave an upward swing today to the price of wheat. Opening prices here, which ranged from ⅛c to ⅝@⅞c higher, with May at $1.30⅝ to $1.31 and July at $1.23¾ to $1.24½, were followed by a slight reaction and then by decided fresh gains.

The close was weak, ⅝c to 1⅛c net lower, with May at $1.29@1.29⅛ and July at $1.22⅝.

AD CORN

Corn rose with wheat. After opening ⅛c off to ⅝@⅞c up, the market made a general ascent, but then receded moderately under profit taking by longs.

The close was heavy at ⅝@⅞c net decline. Scattered purchases were sufficient to lift oats. In provisions selling by packers operated as an offset for higher quotations on hogs.

Following were the closing quotations:

Wheat—May, $1.29@1.29⅛; July, $1.22⅝.

Corn—May, 78⅝c; July, 78⅝c.

Oats—May, 48⅝c; July, 45⅝c.

Pork—May, $20.70; July, $20.72½.

Lard—May, $10.22½; July, $10.40.

Ribs—May, $11.50; July, $11.60.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Corn, No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, 78½c; No. 4 white, 72@75½c. Rye, No. 2, $1.02. Barley, 68@78c. Timothy, $5.50@8. Clover, $10@18.50.

COAST MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Wheat—Steady; no trading.

Barley—Firm; December, $1.35 bid; May, $1.30 bid.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 17.—Wheat, easier; no trading. Spot bids, unchanged to 1c lower. Bluestem, $1.08; Fortyfold, 98c; Club, 98c; red Fife, 97c; red Russian, 97c.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

Liverpool cables by private wires: Up ⅝c a bushel; increasing demand for all grades of wheat. Exports were comparatively quiet on decline.

Corn market stronger than was expected; very little selling out of old accounts on advance.

Lack of good grain is impressive; will get a new high movement. Watch small oats receipts. Country short of this feed. Winter-stored stuff is rotting. May oats will go to 60c.

Broomhall, Liverpool: Spot wheat opened strong; hard winters 1½ higher; cargoes strong; Winters and Manitobas 1½ higher.

Corn dull and unchanged.

The situation surrounding the markets strong, with cold weather increasing consumption and reserves moderate. Argentina is shipping moderately and it is expected that these will show a falling off as tonnage available is light. Reserves are light and prospects for the new crop unfavorable. Australian agent cables: The chartered fleet is slowly increasing and larger exports are expected soon. France and Italy have commandeered boats for moving their purchases.

EXPERT OPINION.

Thompson & McKinnon: Undertone of wheat market should continue strong under further damage reports and demand. Oats market will follow corn in a minor way.

Harris, Winthrop & Co.—The advance in wheat might extend further.

Bartlett, Frazier, & Co.—Believe wheat is in line for a further advance. Corn will eventually sell much higher than it has up to present time.

Ware & Leland—Believe wheat prices will work higher. The corn situation is strong. Favor purchases of oats on moderate setbacks.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts:			
Wheat	1,829,000	1,108,000	990,000
Corn	2,550,000	1,450,000	760,000
Oats	652,000	602,000	723,000
Shipments:			
Wheat	792,000	726,000	604,000
Corn	666,000	518,000	674,000
Oats	711,000	899,000	697,000

Clearances—Wheat and flour, 792,000.

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.				
May	1.31	1.31⅛	1.28⅞	1.29
July	1.24½	1.24½	1.22¼	1.22⅝
CORN—PER BUSHEL.				
May	.79⅛	.80⅛	.78⅛	.78⅝
July	.79⅛	.79⅛	.78⅝	.78⅝
OATS—PER BUSHEL.				
May	.48⅝	.49⅛	.48⅛	.48⅝
July	.46⅛	.47	.45⅝	.45⅝
PORK—PER BARREL.				
May	20.97	20.97	20.70	20.70
July	20.95	21.05	20.72	20.72
LARD—PER 100 LBS.				
May	10.15	10.40	10.22	10.22
July	10.32	10.62	10.40	10.40
SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.				
May	11.65	11.65	11.50	11.50
July	11.75	11.77	11.60	11.60

HOGS, CATTLE, SHEEP.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Hogs—Receipts, 33,000; strong, 5c to 10c above yesterday's average. Bulk, $8.15@8.35; light, $7.80@8.10; mixed, $8.05@8.45; heavy, $8.05@8.50; rough, $8.05@8.15; pigs, $6.25@7.40.

Cattle—Receipts, 5000; steady. Native beef steers, $6.60@9.65; western steers, $6.70@8.15; stockers and feeders, $5.00@7.25; cows and heifers, $3.15@8.25; calves, $8.50@11.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; steady. Wethers, $7.75@8.30; ewes, $5.50@8.25; lambs, $9@11.35.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 11.60c; no sales.

Hutton private wires state: Liverpool due 3 to 3½d lower, opened steady 3 to 4d lower; 12:15 p. m., quiet but steady, net 1½ to 3d lower; 12:30 p. m. 1½ to 2½d up from the opening; spots in moderate demand at 3d decline; mids. 7d; sales 7000, including 4000 American; imports 7000, all American.

Forts estimated early 22,000 against 32,146; 55,443 against 21,217; first cloths were firmer yesterday; bag manufacturers continue steady buyers. In the jobbing markets retailers are making large purchases of spring and smaller goods. Delays in deliveries due to slow transportation are causeing many complaints.

More than half the small cotton yarn mills in the South are reported to be running day and night.

New Bedford says the stock order at the Gosnold mill, after affecting 13,000 workers, was the outcome of demand of half dozen who who left work without cause and then demanded that they be taken back and that the men who took their places be discharged.

Montgomery, Ala., wires that there are very few sellers of spot cotton and when sold or bought the price paid is very much above a parity compared to contract markets. Meantime the decline in contracts has caused spinners' buying.

N. L. Carpenter & Co.: For the first time in several months we have had free selling by spot holders. There is nothing in the situation to buoy prices and if owners of cotton are willing to sell there is no reason why the market should advance.

Jay Bond: General selling again characterized the market which brought about a further decline, while buying on the part of Liverpool to cover hedges furnished a good demand.

SUGAR MERGER BREWING.

The statement is freely made that Honokaa Sugar Company and Paauhau Sugar Plantation Company, which operate adjoining plantations in the islands, are to merge interests. Honokaa has outstanding 100,000 shares of stock of value of $2,000,000 and $600,000 bonds. It is controlled by the Schaefer interests. Paauhau has $2,000,000 capital in 100,000 shares with no debt. It pays 30 cents a month dividend, while the other has not paid dividends since September, 1910, although reported improving. Paauhau is said to be controlled by John D. Spreckels, though his name does not appear.

STEEL MERGER CONSUMMATED.

Definite announcement has been made of the purchase of the Pennsylvania Steel control by Charles M. Schwab of Bethlehem Steel as foreshadowed a few days ago. Schwab will pay $100 a share for the preferred and $49 a share for common stock. William H. Dozier, who carried through the deal which placed Cambria Steel in the hands of the Midvale Company, figures prominently in the present combination.

MRS. OLDFIELD ILL.

MELROSE, Feb. 17. — Mrs. Barney Oldfield, wife of the famous speed king, is critically ill in Los Angeles, according to word received by her sister, Mrs. Harry L. Boyle, 978 Seventy-fifth avenue. Mrs. Boyle left for the south last night to be at her sister's bedside.

Mrs. Mary Gooby, mother of Mrs. Oldfield and Mrs. Boyle, who has been seriously ill at the latter's home here, was almost prostrated on learning of her daughter's illness.

NEW YORK CURB QUOTATIONS

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Beaver	40	45	Mizpah Ex	33	35
Butte & NY	3⅛	3⅝	Nev Hills	10	18
Can. Cop	1½	1⅞	Nipissing	6½	6⅝
Con Ariz	1½	9-16	N Star	14	10
Con Cop M	1⅝	2	Ohio Cop	3-16	5-16
Davis Daly	1⅛	1⅜	Pac Gas El	62½	63
Ely Con	6	8	do pfd	89½	90½
El Paso	½	1	Profit S	1¼	1½
First Nat	6⅛	6⅝	Riker Corp	5⅛	5⅝
Fraction	7	9	Sterling G	1⅛	2
Florence	48	52	Stewart Min	7-16	½
Hollinger	28	30	Utd Verde D	10½	11
I Blossom	1⅛	11-16	W Pac 5s	24	28
Int Petrl	13	13½	West End	75	78
Int Motors	22	25	World F	1⅜	1½
do pfd	35	40	Utah Notes	95	96
Jumbo Ex	1⅛	1 3-16	Midvale	70⅞	70⅞
Kewanas	20	22	Mother Lode	21	21½
Kerr L	4¾	5	B O Z	8	9⅛
La Rose	⅝	¾	Kean	54	54½
McIntyre	90	92	Sub. Boat	87	87½
Marconi	3½	4	Sapulpa	15½	16
Mason Val	3	4	Success	57	59
McKin Dar	45	50	Shipbuild	11	13
Mont onoP	25	30			

BOSTON STOCK MARKET

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid	Ask.
Adventure	1⅞	2	N Butte	29⅞	29⅝
Ahmeek	10	..	Old Colony	3⅛	3½
Algomah	1	1⅛	Old Domin	69½	70½
Allouez	71	71½	Osceola	92	93
Amn Zinc	78½	78⅞	Ojibwa	1⅞	2
Ariz Com	9⅜	9⅝	Pond Ck	13	13½
Balaklala	4	4½	Quincy	94½	95
Butte & S	92	92½	Shannon	11	11½
Cal & Ariz	73½	73⅝	Santa Fe	3⅛	3½
Cal & H	572	580	Shattuck Ar	37⅛	37¾
Centennial	16⅞	17	St Marys	67½	68
Copper R	63	63½	Sup & Bos	3⅛	3⅝
Daly W	3¼	3½	Sup Cop	20	21
East Butte	14½	14¾	Swift	126	127
Franklin	9⅝	10½	Tamarack	50	51
Granby	93	93½	Trinity	9⅜	10
Hancock	16½	17	U S Min	61⅛	62⅛
Hedley Gold	25½	26	do pfd	50⅛	50½
Isle Royale	28⅛	29½	U S Machy	64½	65
Island Ck	45	47	do pfd	29	29½
do pfd	89½	91	Utah Apex	4⅛	4½
Indiana	5	5½	Utah Con	4⅛	4⅜
Keweenaw	3	3¼	Utah Cou	14⅞	15
Mass Con	12¾	13	Victoria	3⅞	4
Mayflower	3⅛	4	Wolverine	64	64½
Mich Min	1⅞	2	Wyandotte	2⅛	2½
Mohawk	93½	94	Winona	4⅛	4½
New Arc	9	9½	Utd Fruit	146½	146¾

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Bingham M	8	8½	Majestic	1 5-16	1 7-16
Bohemia	2	2½	Nev. Doug	89	65
Boston Ely	45	50	New Baltic	3⅛	3⅝
Butte & L	60	64	New Cornelia	12	12½
Cal Corbin	5⅛	6	Ohio Cop	20	25
Calaveras	3⅛	3⅝	Oneco	95	100
Chief Con	1⅛	1½	So. Lake	7⅛	7⅝
Con Cop	1⅞	2	South Utah	35	40
Crown Res	35	45	Tuolumne	15	20
Davis Daly	1⅝	1⅞	Utd Verde D	10½	10⅝
Eagle & BB	19	19⅛	Utah Metals	9	9½
Houghton	2¼	2½			

OUTLOOK NOW IS FOR PROSPERITY

Bank Optimistic and Prophesies Great Year for California.

"The outlook for California is for prosperity," says the monthly statement of the Wells Fargo-Nevada National Bank. "The ample rains, while causing some local damage here and there, are of enormous benefit, tending to insure abundant crops in an agricultural and horticultural state. Last year's fruit crops have been pretty well sold out; the demand for canned and dried fruits has been insistent, only limited apparently by transportation facilities. We even hear of contracts already being made for forward crops from trees not yet in blossom.

"With raisins the distribution is more gradual, but it is estimated they will practically be disposed of before the next crop season. California wool, which suffered declining prices during 1915, has recently been in demand so that the surplus carried over is nearly absorbed and there is a tendency to an increased demand for the coming clip of 1916.

"During January 19,372,000 pounds of Australian wool, valued at $5,487,000, passed through this port on route for the Atlantic seaboard by railroad. The production of petroleum still falls behind the consumption, accompanied by advancing prices.

OCEAN TONNAGE SHORT.

"Shortage in ocean tonnage still hampers the shipment of our products, notably so in the case of lumber.

"It is now reported that the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company is about to withdraw its boats from the Pacific on account of the uncertainty of the time when the Panama Canal will be reopened and also, perhaps, that they may take advantage of the high charters now current on the Atlantic. It is supposed that this may result in routing via San Francisco the shipments of raw sugar from the Hawaiian Islands destined for the Atlantic seaboard which have been using the American-Hawaiian line via Tehauntepec, the Isthmus and the Straits of Magellan.

"Locally money continues very abundant not only for commercial purposes, but for legitimate use in improving real estate. And this has begun to apply to farming as well as to city property."

BIG MERGER MAY YET TAKE PLACE

California Companies Likely to Be Brought in Combination, Says Eastern Authority.

Arrangements are understood to be progressing whereby the big California companies will be brought into the Pan-American company within a reasonably short time, says the Wall Street Journal, once the best informed of the Eastern papers. Those companies include the California Petroleum Corporation, Associated Oil, Union Oil and the Independent Producers' Agency, the latter representing about 130 companies. The companies already in the Pan-American company are the Mexican Petroleum, Petroleum Transport Co., Calorio Co. and the Buena Fe Petroleum Co.

The economic advantages of a gulf-coast oil combination were what led to the consolidation of Mexican and California properties under the domination of one company. The main feature is the supplying of fuel oil to shipping and industry on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, the plan being facilitated by the use of the Panama canal.

TO ELIMINATE WASTE.

Another big advantage of the consolidation is the elimination of competitive and wasteful oil well drilling by the numerous independent companies in California. Experience of oil producers in a competitive territory is that when one man drills a well his neighbor has to because of fear of losing oil through the first well.

The history of the great Cushing pool in Oklahoma is the object lesson in this matter. Oklahoma was a highly competitive territory and through indiscriminate drilling—done against the advice of leading oil interests—a flood of oil was brought in there when demand was much restricted and the consuming market in no condition to take the output. Under those conditions Cushing production went as high as 300,000 barrels a day. Today, when demand is improving, Cushing is petering out, production being about 100,000 barrels a day.

The plan of the interests who are carrying through the consolidation of Mexican and California companies is to avoid a repetition of the Cushing experience. Already they have gathered under one ownership what is believed to be the largest area of proved oil land in the world.

The Mexican Petroleum property is regarded as one of the best in the world. Casiano No. 7, its big producing well, is looked upon as a wonder by oil men. It has produced close to 80,000,000 barrels of oil and shows no signs of diminishing. This well is being allowed to flow at only a limited rate because of lack of storage capacity. With full output of this well it is figured that Mexican Petroleum would have a daily production of 200,000 barrels of oil.

In the fifteen years of the company's existence production has totaled 57,390,000 barrels of oil. Production in 1915 amounted to 8,135,000 barrels.

Lockwood School to Present Pretty Operetta

MELROSE, Feb. 17. — The Lockwood school music and physical culture departments will present the operetta, "The Isle of Chance," in the school auditorium tonight and tomorrow evening.

Miss Edith Hirsch and Miss Sarah L. Young of the Lockwood faculty have been working faithfully with their cast of seventy members to give a creditable presentation.

Those who have witnessed the rehearsals are enthusiastic in praise of the work. The cast follows:

Greed, King of the Isle, Jas. Thompson; Captain, John Deasy; On-a-Grouch, Albert Ellison; Despair, his shadow, Frank Bacon; Lord What's-the-Use, survivor, Chas. Stoeckly; Lady Frivolous, survivor, Dorothy Wells; Simplelita, survivor, Ethel Mecchi; Who-cares, Richard Hoffman; Few-cares, Harry Oakley; No-cares, Harry Bray; First Folly, Bessie Lucas; Second Folly, Marjorie Spring; Third Folly, Hazel Thompson.

Spring Spirits—Marjorie Spring, Marjorie Ayres, Helen Long, Hortense Arrien, Emogene Hill, Hazel Maloon, Gladys Frieze.

Chorus of Follies—Arabelle Carter, Carline Yost, Hazel Burrows, Pauline Smith, Leonie Combatalade, Annie Anderson, John Lawrence, Stanley Smith, Harry Pritchard, Wilbert Halleran, Victor Stanley, Franklin Smith.

Chorus of Shadows—Phyllis Dugmore, Carol Swickard, Dorothy Inglis, Helen Brown, Bertha Schwab, Mary O'Niel.

In addition to the operetta the famous Lockwood School band, under the leadership of Prof. John Smith, will render several selections.

GT. WESTERN POWER IMPROVING.

Great Western Power reports for January and the year ended January 31, total income for month $231,565, an increase of $49,241. Interest on debt was earned 1.86 times. For the year total income was $2,388,410, an increase of $299,567. Interest was earned 1.77 times.

STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE

Interest in sugar plantation shares continued unabated at this morning's session of the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange, with firm, and in some issues, increased prices prevailing. Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar was bid up to 47⅞ and Honokaa sold up to 10½; Union sold at 27½ and later was in demand at 27¾. Sales were recorded of Hawaiian Sugar, Hutchinson and Paauhau at the same figures as Wednesday's closing.

Spring Valley Water was strong at 57½ and Northwestern Electric common was up an eighth to 25½.

Associated Oil lost a quarter of a dollar, selling at 66½, while Alaska Packers' Association gained a quarter to 100¾. Pacific Tel. and Tel. preferred sold at 96, which is a gain of half a dollar over last quotations.

The bond market was quiet, with prices much the same, with the single exception of S. P. Railroad first refunding 4s, which sold down an eighth.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.	Bid.	Ask.
City Electric Co 5s	83	88½
L A Gas & Elec Co 5s	100	..
Market St Ry 1st Con Mtg 5s	69	70
Natomas Co of Cal 5s	61	62½
Northern Cal Power Co 5s	97	..
Pacific Elec Ry Co 5s	..	97
Pac Light & Power (Gtd) 5s	94	..
Pacific Tel and Tel Co 5s	101	101½
Sacramento Elec. Gas & Ry 5s	102	103½
S P, Oak & San Jose Con Ry 5s	87	90
S P RR Co 1st Ref 4s	90⅞	..
S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s	93½	93⅞
United RR of S F 4s	44	44⅝
WATER STOCKS.		
Spring Valley Water Co	57½	..
INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Fireman's Fund	254	..
GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.		
N Cal Power Co Com	9½	..
Pac Gas & Elec (first pfd)	90⅝	90½
Pac Gas & Elec (pfd)	91⅝	92½
Pac Gas & Elec (com)	..	63⅝
N W Elec (pfd)	85	86
N W Elec (com)	25½	25¾
BANK STOCKS.		
Anglo Cal Trust Co	105	110
First Nat Bank of S F	222½	..
Savings Union Bank & Trust Co	235	238
SAVINGS BANKS.		
Mutual Savings Bank (80 paid)	80	85
SUGAR STOCKS.		
Hawaiian Com & Sugar	47⅞	..
Hawaiian Sugar Co	43⅛	..
Honokaa Sugar Co	10½	..
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	28⅛	..
Onomea Sugar Co	53	54
Paauhau S P Co	27⅛	27½
Union Sugar	27⅛	..
OIL STOCKS.		
Amalgamated Oil Co	80	..
Associated Oil Co	66⅞	—
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Cal Wine Assn (com)	22½	..
N Alaska Salmon Co	110	120
Natomas Co. of Cal (pfd)	22⅛	25½
Pacific Tel and Tel (pfd)	96	..
Philippine Tel and Tel Corp	20⅛	22

MORNING SALES.

15000	Cal Gas & Elec Unif 5s	93⅞
1000	S P RR Co 1st Ref 4s	90⅞
6000	United RR of S F 4s	44½
100	Spring Valley Water Co	57½
105	N W Elec (com)	25½
50	Hawaiian Sugar Co	44
225	Honokaa Sugar Co	10½
150	Hutchinson Sugar P	28½
200	Paauhau S P Co	27⅛
125	Union Sugar Co	27½
50	Associated Oil Co	66½
90	Alaska Packers' Assn	100⅞
15	Cal Fruit Can Assn	120
35	Pac Tel and Tel (pfd)	96

AFTERNOON SALES.

10000	Cal Gas & Elec Unif 5	93⅝
60	Spring Valley Water Co	57+
100	N Cal Power Co Con	9¼
60	Pac Gas and Elec (pfd)	93⅞
	Pac Gas and Elec (com)	63⅝
25	Pac Gas and Elec (com)	63⅝
25	N W Elec (com)	26
60	Hawaiian Com & S	47½
5	Hawaiian Sugar Co	44
100	Honokaa Sugar Co	10½
400	Hutchinson Sugar P	28⅞
100	Onomea Sugar Co	52⅞
25	Associated Oil Co	66½
6	Associated Oil Co	66⅛
10	Associated Oil Co	66⅞
50	Alaska Packers Assn	100⅞
100	Natomas Co of Cal (pfd)	22½

OIL AND MINING STOCKS

With a fairly distributed though light volume of sales and active interest there was little change in the range of prices of mining stocks on the San Francisco Stock Exchange this morning. For the present interest in Big Jim, which has been the leader for a day or two, seems to have died out and the best offer this morning was $1.20, a drop of five cents from yesterday's quotation. Other Arizona issues fared better, United West, Black Range and Argo each gaining a cent on sales.

Goldfield stocks were firmer, with some gains, Jumbo Extension selling three cents higher at $1.15, Atlanta at 20 and Combination Fraction gained one cent and Goldfield Consolidated, which was weak yesterday, gained a cent to 92. Merger Mines sold again at 18 and Kewanus was in demand at 16.

Tonopah issues were firm with a substantial gain in Halifax, which went to 53 on sales and lively bidding. Rescue sold at seven cents and Jim Butler was again in demand at 95.

Trading in Comstocks was confined to the North End group as usual and sales were light. Union was most active, advancing to 45, while Sierra Nevada gained a cent to 21. Ophir and Mexican each sold off a cent.

OIL AND MINING STOCKS. CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
TONOPAH.					
Tono of Nev	..	7.00	J Butler	95	..
Tono Ex	..	4.45	Mizpah Ex	18	..
MacNamara	03	..	Cash Boy	04	..
North Star	15	..	M Pitts Ex	06	..
West End	75	..	Halifax	53	..
Rescue Con	07	..	Gt Western	02	..
GOLDFIELD.					
Goldf Con	92	..	Gt Bend	06	..
S Kendall	04	..	Florence	..	.50
Colum Mt	04	..	Diam B B	03	..
Jumbo Ex	1.15	..	Comb Frac	08	..
Booth	83	..	Gldf Kew	16	..
Blue Bull	03	..	Yellow T	..	01
S Pick Con	03	..	Yellow Tiger	02	..
Blue Bell	02	..	Grandma	02	..
C O D	05	..	Gdf Comw	02	..
L Star Con	03	..	Merger M	15	..
New Gldf S	05	..	Spearhd G	10	..
Oro	01	..	Dia Fld Daisy	02	..
Atlanta	..	21	Vernal	..	02
CALIFORNIA.					
Central E	10	..			
BULLFROG.					
Pioneer Con	..	10			
MANHATTAN.					
Man Con	..	02	Man Big F	—	05
Dex W Caps	07	..			
OTHER DISTRICTS.					
Round Mt	55	..	Roch Merger	..	29
Pitts S P	03	..	Nenzel O Pt	10	..
Eagles Nest	..	01	Nevada Pack	36	..
Roch Mines	58	..			
ARIZONA.					
Big Jim	1.20	..	United W	17	..
Lazy Moy	26	..	Black Range	43	..
Nellie	25	..			
COMSTOCKS.					
Ophir	17	18	S Nevada	19	20
Mexican	..	18	Exchequer	01	..
Gould & C	02	..	S Belcher	03	..
Best & B	02	..	Overman	03	..
Con Virginia	06	07	Union	44	46
Hale & Nor	..	04	Caledonia	..	50
Con Imperial	..	02	Occidental	..	80
Alpha	01	..	Andes	03	..
Confidence	..	20	Scorpion	02	..

SALES.

1000	Rescue Con	07	200	Merger M	18
500	Halifax	51	600	Union	44
1000	Ophir	17	600	Alta	48
500	Mexican	18	1000	Utd West	17
400	Yel Jacket	12	500	Black R	43
100	Goldfd Kew	17			

INFORMAL SALES.

600	W End	73	300	Yel Jacket O	12
1000	Rescue O	07	2000	Comb Frac	09
2000	Rescue O	08	200	S Nevada	21
500	Halifax	50	600	Union	44
500	Halifax	51	700	Union	45
100	Goldf Con	92	1500	Round Mt	50
500	Jumbo Ex	1.15	700	Roch Mines	50
500	Atlanta	20	1000	Nev Packard	80
2000	Ophir	17	1000	Utd West	17
500	Mexican	19	500	Black R	43
1000	O Virginia	07	5000	Argo	04

OILS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amalg Oil	80.00	..	N Amn Oil	..	16
Claremont	40	41	Palmer U	04	05
Globe	01	03	Peerless	01	..
Illinois Cr	08	..	Producers	80.00	..
Junction	15	..	Rice R	1.25	..
Lucile	02	..	S W & B	10	..
Maricopa N	08	..	Union	70.00	..
Mascot	..	75	United Oil	19	..
Nat Pac	05	06	United Petr	69.00	..
Nev Co	10	..	W Cost pt	117.00	..

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Mercantile paper 3@3½c.

Sterling—60-day bills 4.70¾c, demand 4.76c, cables 4.76 9-16c.

Bar silver—66⅞c, Mexican dollars 43c.

Government bonds steady, railroad bonds irregular.

Time loans steady; 60 and 90 days 2½@2¾c, 6 months 2¾@3c.

Call money steady; high 2, low and ruling rate 1¾, last loan 2, closing bid 1¾, offered at 2.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Bar silver $2.07⅞ per ounce. Money 4@4½ per cent.

METAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Copper firm, electrolytic nearby $28.50, June and later $26.75@27.50.

Metal exchange quotes tin strong; spot $41.75@42.25; lead firm; spot 62½c bid.

London Metal Markets—Spot copper £106 2s, up 2 points; futures £108 10s, up £2; futures £103 10s, advance £1 10s; elec. £136 10s, unchanged; sales, spot 200 tons; futures 300 tons. Spot tin £181, down £1; futures £181, off £1; straits £185, off 10s; sales, spot, 20 tons; futures 60. Lead, spot, £32, off 2s 6d; futures £32 5s, advance 5s; spelter, spot, £103 10s, up £2; futures £94, advance £4.

S. F. MARKETS

BEANS AND SEEDS.

Beans—Choice, recleaned, per cental: Small white, southern, $6.20@6.30; large white, $6.20@6.30; Lima, $4.50@4.90; pink, $4.60@4.70; red Mexican, $5.30@5.40; California Bayos, $5.80@6.10; Cranberries, California, $5.25@5.85; Red Kidneys, $8@8.25; Horse beans, $2@3.50; Blackeyes, $3@4; Garvanzas, $4.50@5.

Seeds—Per lb: Flax, 5¾@6c; hemp, 3c@17½@18½c; grape, domestic, 2¼@2½c; do, 8¼c; millet, 2½@3c; canary, 6½@7c; alfalfa, imported, 8¼@4c.

Green peas—Per ctl, $5@5.25.

Hops—Per lb, 1915 crop: Sacramento and vicinity, 9@10c; Mendocino and vicinity, 10½@12c; Oregon and Washington, 10@12c.

LIVE STOCK.

Steers—No. 1, weighing 950 to 11.0 pounds, 6¾@7c per pound; 1150 to 1850 pounds, 6¼@6½c; second quality, 6¼@6¾c; thin, undesirable steers, 4@5c.

Cows and heifers—No. 1, 5¾@6c; second quality, 5½@5¾c; common to thin, undesirable cows, 4@5c.

Bulls and stags—Good, 4½@5½c; fair, 3@4c; thin, 2½@3c.

Calves—Light weight, 9@9½c; medium, 8@9c; heavy, 6½@7c.

Lambs—8½@9c.

Sheep—Wethers, 7@7½c; ewes, 5¾@6c.

Hogs—Hard grain fed, weighing 10 to 150 pounds, 7c; 150 to 175 pounds, 7¼c; 175 to 250, 7½c; 250 to 325 pounds, 7c.

The following are slaughterers' prices for dressed meats:

Steers—10½c per pound for No. 1 quality; second quality, 10c.

Cows and heifers—9@10c.

Calves—11@12c for large and 13@14½c for small.

Sheep—Wethers, 12@12½c; ewes, 10@10½c.

Hogs—10½@12c.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

Hay—Carload lots, per ton: Wheat, fancy light bales, $16@17; No. 1 wheat or wheat and oat, $16@16; No. 2 wheat or wheat and oat, $11@13; choice tame oat, $15@16.50; other tame oat, $11@14; wild oat, $12@14; alfalfa, $15@16.60; stock hay, $10@12; barley straw, 25@40c per bale.

Feed—Bran, $25@26; middlings, $31@34; shorts, $26@27; rolled barley, $28@29; corn meal and cracked corn, $39.50@40.50.

Meal—Per ton: Alfalfa, carload lots, $19.50; small lots, $20.50; oilcake, 20-ton lots, $37.50; 10-ton lots, $38; 5-ton lots, $38.50; smaller lots, $39; coconut, 20 and 10-ton lots, $23; 5-ton lots, $23.50; smaller lots, $24.

BAGS.

Bags—San Quentin bags, 10c; standard Calcutta, grain bags, spot, 12¾@13c; June-July delivery, 12¾@13c; wool bags, 3½-lb, 55c; 4-lb 65c; fleece twine, 12½c per lb; fruit bags, cotton, best A, 8¼c; do, B, 8c; do jute, 10@12c; bean bags, 16⅝, 9c; do, 10½x34, 10¼c.

LOS ANGELES OIL EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amalg Oil	81.75	..	Nat Pac	05½	05¾
Associat Oil	66.25	66.75	Olinda L	30	..
Central	41	50	Rice R	1.27	1.30
Columbia	1.00	1.10	Union	71.50	72.00
Fullerton O.	..	3.75	Utd Petrl	72.00	73.00
Jade Oil	07¼	08½	United Oil	21	22
Midway N	17½	..			

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Anglo Amn	16	16½	Prairie	417	420
Atlantic	670	690	Prairie P	284	285
Borne S	275	285	Solar	300	305
Buckeye	107	109	So. Pipe	210	215
Chesebro	740	755	So. Penn Oil	112	115
Colonial	176	185	S O Cal	372	374
Continental	270	275	S O Ind	505	510
Crescent	46	48	S O Kan	440	450
Cumberland	65	70	S O Ky	350	360
Eureka	223	235	S O N J	515	520
Galena	151	153	S O N Y	210	218
do pfd	134	137	S O Ohio	550	560
Illinois Pipe	180	183	Swan & F	125	130
Indiana P	105	107	Union T	85	88
Nat Transit	31	36	Vacuum	228	230
N Y Trans	200	205	Washington	48	52
Northern P	103	106	Waters P	16⅛	17
Ohio Oil	219	220			

Low Oil Production Due to Big Storms

The storms of January 17th and 27th, which destroyed 1870 derricks in the San Joaquin Valley fields, are largely responsible for the low production recorded during January. The average daily output, 223,364 barrels, represents a daily loss of 13,229 barrels as compared with December figures.

While the effect of the storm will be manifest for some time, it now appears that the production loss will not be of the magnitude that was first anticipated.

January shipments were far below normal and averaged daily but 226,950 barrels. The small shipments were due chiefly to the interruption in railroad service occasioned by the heavy rains.

Shut-in production remains constant at 12,000 barrels daily.

The thirty-five wells completed during the month show an initial production of 4895 barrels daily.

Total crude oil stocks, January 31 were 57,085,887 barrels, and total shipments from fields 7,035,436 barrels.

Financial Flashes

Bank of England rate unchanged at 5 per cent.

Great Britain will not prohibit imports of paper, but will cut them to one-third.

Weekly reviews of steel trade organs indicate that further increases in unfilled tonnage will not be great because mills are turning away more business than they are accepting.

London declines: Atchison, ¼; United States Steel, ⅛. Advances, Canadian Pacific, 2½; Erie, ¼; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, ⅜.

Demand sterling, $4.76.

Three plants of the Furist Steel company at Bridgeport, Conn., were destroyed by fire, loss estimated $450,000. Plant has been engaged on war orders for the Remington Arms & Ammunition company.

DIVIDENDS AND EARNINGS.

Federal Mining and Smelting Company today declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on preferred stock, payable March 15.

Ex-dividend stocks today on Wall street were Domes Mines, 5 per cent; Pittsburg Steel preferred 1¾ per cent.

National Lead Company today declared a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on its common stock, placing that issue on a 4 per cent basis as against the 3 per cent rate of recent years.

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ORANGES SHOW STORM EFFECTS

Much complaint is heard among Oakland wholesale produce dealers concerning the quality of oranges received from Southern California. These are showing to a surprising extent the effects of the recent rains. Many of them are watery and decay quickly, repacking several times necessary with almost every shipment. This depreciation is as high as eight per cent. One car arrived today. Quotations on all citrus fruit remain unchanged with rather quiet demand.

Potatoes should be easier in price but have been holding up well despite heavier shipments. This is blamed on the handlers at shipping points, arrivals today included but four cars of Nevadas.

The market is just now in the intermediate stage with stocks of old produce cleaning up for the new stuff which will be coming in very soon. Already some asparagus is arriving from Sacramento in very small quantities, one more box this morning selling at 35 cents a pound. One box of new San Leandro rhubarb arrived today and sold at $2.50. Southern rhubarb was quoted at $1.25 to $2.

More of the fancy Florida bell peppers and string beans arrived today and sold at fancy prices.

The car of lettuce expected today did not arrive and the salad ingredient was somewhat scarce, selling at $1.60 to $1.75. Some fancy celery came in from Los Angeles and brought $4 flat.

Poultry arrivals were light, including only ten coops of Californias. Prices were unchanged.

QUOTATIONS.

Apples—Bellefleur, 3½ and 4-tier, 65c@$1; 4½-tier, 60@75c; Newtown Pippins, 3½ and 4-tier, fancy, $1.15@1.25; extra choice, 85c@$1; choice, 75@85c; 4½-tier, 75@85c; Oregon Spitzenbergs, fancy, $1.60@2; choice, $1.35@1.50.

Pears—Winter Nellis, per box, $1.75@2.25.

Rhubarb—$1.25@2.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, Washington Navels, Sunkist, $2.50@2.60; fancy, $2.25@2.50; choice, $2@2.25; standard, 85c@$1.

Tangerines—Fancy, $1.25@1.50; choice, 85c@$1.

Grapefruit—Per box, fancy, $2@2.25; choice, $1.50@1.75; Standard, $1@1.25.

Lemons—Per box, Sunkist, $3.75@4; fancy, $3.50@3.75; choice, $2.50@2.75; Standards, $1.75@2; lemonettes, $2@2.25; Mexican limes, per case, $6@6.50.

Tropical Fruits—Central American and New Orleans bananas, 3½@4c per lb.; Honolulu, 4@4½c per lb.; coconuts, $3.25@3.50 per sack of 50; pineapples, $3.50 crate, $1.50@2 a dozen, according to size.

Golden dates—Per lb., 8½@10c; Fard, 11@15c; Dromedary, $3 case of 30 packages.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

Potatoes—In sacks, Delta, fancy, $1.75@1.85; inferior, 85c@$1.10 sack; Shima Burbanks, $1.90@2 per cental; Nevada Burbanks, $2@2.10; Salinas, $2.15@2.25 per cental; Oregon Burbanks $2.15@2.25; Idaho, $1.90@2; sweets, $2.15@$2.50 per cental. Early Rose seed, $2.25 per ctl.

Onions—Australian browns, $2.40@2.50 sack; Oregon onions, $2.75@2.85 per cental; Nevadas, $2.75@3 per cental; white Bermudas, 50-lb crates, $2.15@2.20.

Vegetables—San Diego tomatoes, 4-basket crates, —; garlic, 11@12½c per lb; Japanese garlic, 6@8c per lb; eggplant, 11@12½c; Lima beans, 9@10c per pound; string beans, —; wax beans, 7@7½c; pole beans, 8@9c per pound; cream squash, 50@75c per lug; Hubbard squash, 75@90c per sack; marrowfat squash, 50@75c; do, 1½c lb; Brussels sprouts, 7@8 cents per pound; Los Angeles lettuce $1.60@1.75 crate; Santa Cruz hothouse cucumbers, 2½ doz., $2.50@2.75 box; do English cucumbers, $2.25@2.50 box of 1½ dozen; artichokes, 30@50c dozen; summer squash, —; southern green peas, 10c per pound; celery, $3.50@4 crate; mushrooms, 20@30c; cauliflower, 65@75c dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Poultry—Per lb, fryers, 21@22c; broilers, large, 23@24c; small broilers, 27@30c; eastern hens, 15@17c; young roosters, 19@20c; hens, 18@19c.

Belgian hare—10@11c.

Wild hare—$1.50@1.75.

Dressed turkeys—25@27c lb; dressed geese, 23@24c; live geese, 18@20c.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS

Eggs are now at almost exactly the same prices that prevailed a year ago. The only change today in the Oakland wholesale markets was a drop of a cent and a half a dozen in the price of pullet eggs, which have been higher than the quotations of extras warranted. Extras were quoted again at 21½ cents. Fancy California cheeses were half a cent less and butter prices for extras remained as before, with prime first up half a cent.

The following are the Oakland quotations established today on the floor of the San Francisco Dairy Exchange. The regular jobbing prices are generally 2c per dozen on eggs over these quotations:

Grade—	Feb. 15	Feb. 16	Feb. 17
Extras	32c	32c	32c
Prime firsts	30c	30c	30½c
Firsts	29c	29½c	29½c

Eggs, per dozen, Cal fresh, in cases:

Grade—	Feb. 15	Feb. 16	Feb. 17
Extras	22c	21½c	21½c
Selected pullets	21c	20½c	19c

Cheese, lb., California flat, fancy, old style, 17½c; firsts, 16½c; Young Americas, fancy, old style, 15c; firsts, 16½c; Wisconsin Twins, fancy, 21c; Wisconsin Triplets, fancy, 21½c; Oregon Triplets, fancy, 19c; Oregon Young Americas, fancy, 18c; Oregon Twins, fancy, 19c; New York Cheddars, fancy, 21c; New York Twins, fancy, 21c; New York Triplets, 21½c.

STOCKTON, Feb. 17.—There were no changes in the quotations yesterday on the local produce market. Farm eggs were in average demand, firsts selling for 21c, seconds 19c and pullets 20c a dozen. Ranch butter was firm at 20@22½c a pound. Poultry: Hens, 15@14c; fryers, 18@20c; broilers, 23@25c a pound.

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 17.—With the return of ideal spring weather, the production of eggs is increasing with leaps and bounds, and as a consequence, prices are dropping to low ebb. Dealers yesterday paid 19½c a dozen for first and 18½c for seconds or pullet grade, as compared to 20 and 19c Tuesday. Butter remains unchanged at 32c a pound.

PETALUMA, Feb. 17.—Both grade eggs fell off half a cent in price here yesterday, extra ranch bringing 20½c here and select pullet stock was quoted at 19c. The egg receipts for the past week were 235,864 dozen, and poultry 414 dozen.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs, firsts, 21½c; ordinary firsts, 20@21½c; at mark, cases included, 19@21c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 7173; creamery extras, 34½@35c; firsts, 30@34c; second, 27@30c.

Eggs—Steady and unchanged.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Sugar—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 5.02c; molasses sugar, 4.25c. Refined, firm.

9 Persons Die in Theater Collapse

Fire Results When the Building Falls

MEXIA, Tex., Feb. 17.—The number of persons killed as the result of the collapse of the Opera House here last night and the resulting fire, remained at nine this morning. A. B. Welsner, superintendent of the city schools, Mrs. Welsner and Prof. A. C. Burton were killed when the building collapsed. Two doors from the opera house six men were killed in a cafe when the hall collapsed and a gas explosion followed by fire occurred.

A number of buildings were destroyed by fire with a loss estimated at $75,000.

STUDENTS FOR ROOSEVELT.

MISSOULA, Mont., Feb. 17.—University of Montana students yesterday organized the University of Montana Roosevelt Club, which they intend shall be the first of similar clubs in all colleges in the country. Communications setting forth the aims of the club will be sent to other schools, it was announced.

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(By HARRY L. SULLY.)

Music that revealed and concealed the underlying idea as beautiful attire reveals and conceals the person of the wearer, was heard at the Macdonough theater last night in the Wolf-Ferrari score of "The Secret of Suzanne." The music was as sophisticated, even as the latest Paris gown is sophisticated; and in the same degree it was bewildering and enchanting to the uninitiate, and a wonderful study to those who enjoy searching into the manner in which Paris gowns and fragrant orchestration produce their effects.

Of Alice Nielsen as Suzanne there is much to say, and all the saying is delightful. Miss Nielsen might justifiably have been spoken of first. But this she herself would not ask. She made herself last night the perfect instrument of Wolf-Ferrari's speaking, the most perfect instrument in the orchestra, one might almost say. She was content to be the means through which the creator of this music might have his say, and in so subordinating herself, she attained the highest point in the art of song.

Miss Nielsen and "Suzanne" were one-half the glory of a wonderful evening. The other half was Alice Gentle in "Cavalleria Rusticana."

AN INTERESTING CONTRAST.

The two operas stand in interesting contrast. "The Secret of Suzanne" is light and airy, silk and embroidery of the finest quality. It is as merry as Moliere at his happiest, as whimsical as J. M. Barry in his drollest mood. The Mascagni opera, per contra, is crude tragedy of the peasantry; bare and unashamed—biting of ears and snapping of whips, forsooth. The music is almost as bald in places as the action—the dynamics of dramatic utterance reinforced with nothing less than blaring brass and pulsing snare drum.

It would be difficult to present two operas in bolder contrast on the same evening. The pairing of the two is refreshing, and "Suzanne" is a highly satisfactory substitute for the habitual twin opera with "Cavalleria," the Leoncavallo "Pagliacci."

The atmosphere of opera settled upon the Macdonough last night as it had not during the two earlier performances. The singers gave of their best, a splendid best, and artists and audience were in "rapport."

From the opening strains of the Mascagni score to the joyous finale of the Wolf-Ferrari orchestral embroidery, there was nothing to cast a gloom over one's enjoyment. Alice Gentle, I think, is more temperamentally suited to the role of Santuzza than to that of Carmen. But what a world of progress she has made in the past year. I have before me the program of the Alessandro Bevani Opera company of February 6, just a year ago, at the Alcazar theater. Miss Gentle sang Santuzza then, and her singing was thoroughly acceptable. But in the interval she has achieved a vocal and dramatic mastery of the role that gives her right and title to the Mascagni heroine.

Before passing to the second opera, I wish to pay tribute to the chorus. Mascagni has written some splendid choral music and this was attacked and rendered with precision and excellent team work last night. I take this chorus was not picked for beauty but for service. Faces that have been familiar when the opera has come in many a year were in the first line last night. It is like being at home to see them.

Tribute must also be paid to Mario Alacto, baritone in the Wolf-Ferrari one act operatic sketch. He has been down with appendicitis, and it was a matter of doubt whether he could sing last night. He had no understudy for this role, and had he failed to appear, Miss Nielsen would also have been forced to disappoint her audience. He came from his bed, attended in the wings of the stage by a nurse and physician, and sang.

It was good singing, too. There was nothing parsimonious about the way he used his voice and his energy, and it must have cost him something in nerve strain to do it.

Lovers of grand opera, critics of music, have regretted that Wolf-Ferrari should have lavished his musical talent upon so slight a subject as "The Secret of Suzanne." I cannot agree. To me this delicious bit of musical wit and whimsicality is inexpressibly delightful. Wolf-Ferrari has so easy a mastery of the technique of expressing humor musically that it would be sad if he did not make use of it.

Here is a composer who could write a score for "Peter Pan." His mastery of the orchestra is complete. Every instrument is given a voice, and there is joyous expression for all. Albeit, he harks back to the sound Rossini tradition of making his vocal score eminently singable.

Nielsen is in her element in this opera, which gives play to those charms of the singer which made her so delightful in comic opera.

I cannot end without mentioning Aristide Neri, the silent third in the "Suzanne" cast. Neri has been among us in grand opera companies some ten or a dozen times, and has always acquitted himself well. The man who walked out behind me in the theater struck a responsive chord when he said:

"I hoped the other fellow would get a chance to sing."

MACDONOUGH

The one rival to that great photoplay production, "The Spoilers," has been filmed by the Selig Company. "The Ne'er-Do-Well" was also written by Rex Beach and a majority of the Selig stars who aided in making "The Spoilers" famous, appear in its worthy successor, "The Ne'er-Do-Well." A special company of Selig stars, including Kathlyn Williams, Wheeler Oakman, Eugenie Besserer, Jack McDonald, Frank Clark, Harry Lonsdale and others, were escorted to Panama by William N. Selig in order that true atmosphere called for in Rex Beach's story might be filmed. The operations of a Panama fire department is not the least interesting of the many scenes in and near the Canal Zone. In the opening reel of "The Ne'er-Do-Well" there is a hand-to-hand combat that is one of the most realistic ever presented in motion pictures. At the Macdonough Theater for the week beginning next Sunday.

PANTAGES

Richard Havemann, acknowledged the greatest animal tamer in the world, heads a notable bill at the Oakland Pantages this week. The noted educator of jungle beasts performs marvels with his savage pets, and theater goers are talking of his uncanny ability to subdue the great denizens of forest and jungle in his wonderful act.

Another big hit on this week's bill is Bertha Gardner, the English nurse who served as a Red Cross helper in the European war after deserting the stage to go to the trenches. Miss Gardner has a wonderful voice in addition to a world of experience, and her act is unique in vaudeville.

Next week sees several notable features on the bill. The assembling of two automobiles in a race will be a feature, expert mechanicians putting together two Chevrolet cars in a little over three minutes. At the second show Monday night "Manufacturers' Night" will be celebrated, with the members of the Chamber of Commerce Manufacturers' Bureau in attendance in a body. Home industry talks and other features will add to the interest of the occasion.

There will also be a notable vaudeville bill throughout the week.

This week's attractions include a sensational episode of "The Girl and the Game," the act of Roberts Stuart and Roberts, a song revue, Lewis Belmont and Lewis in "After the Matinee," and the Heumann bicyclists, with some other good features.

OAKLAND PHOTO

"Is she white or black?" That is the question which Jack Barrymore insists upon making concerning the girl whom he is just being forced to marry. It sounds like a perfectly reasonable thing for any man to ask concerning his bride, but the men who are thus unceremoniously thrusting Barrymore's head into the matrimonial noose, threaten to kill him instantly if he does not proceed with the marriage without any further delay.

This is one of the near-comic, near-tragic scenes in "Nearly a King," in which the great comedian is being starred on the Paramount program as the feature offering now playing at the Oakland Photo Theater. "Nearly a King," which was written especially for Barrymore, gives him a far wider field for the development of his unique comedy ability than any other photoplay in which he has appeared, because it combines with screamingly funny situations, moments of tenderest romance and scenes of gripping, thrilling suspense.

As the other feature of this double bill Regina Badet is being presented as "Sadunah, the Dancer," in "No Greater Love," a drama of daring intensity revealing the wonderful power of mother-love.

AUDITORIUM

Tonight will be a great night at the Oakland auditorium "Opera House," for there the great Emmy Destinn will make her first appearance on this side of the bay. Destinn is undoubtedly the great singer of the times. She is in the full freshness of youth equipped with a voice of many marvels and an art superb in every way.

The sensational program that the singer rendered last Sunday in San Francisco will be repeated tonight, and it is one of the finest arranged programs that have ever been offered by a famous star. The opening number, "Il est doux, il est bon," from Massenet's opera "Herodiade," at once introduces Destinn at her very best. Other big operatic arias to be given will include Russalda's song from the opera "The Water Nixie," by Dvorak, and the Wiegenlied (Cradle Song) from Smetana's Bohemian opera, "The Kiss," neither of which have ever been sung here before. The big arias "Un bel di" from "Madame Butterfly" and "Vissi D'Arte" from "La Tosca" by Puccini will be the feature offerings of the program. Songs by Grieg, Tosti, Smetana, Liszt, Stange, Dvorak, Tschaikowsky and others will all serve to delight the big crowd with Destinn's voice and art. Roderick White, the talented violinist, will be the chief assisting artist on the program, and he will play a movement from Bruch's concerto in D-minor and a group of works for his instrument. Homer Samuels will preside at the piano for both artists, and Mr. Samuels is one of the finest accompanists that we have heard here in a long while.

FRANKLIN

An interesting study of the mind and character of a man who rose from the tenements to the palaces of financial magnates is presented in the Thos. H. Ince-Triangle drama, "The Conqueror," at the Franklin:

Mark Horn is a self-made millionaire. His ruthless methods have gained him the name, "The Wolf of Wall Street." He is invited to exclusive functions because people of society wish to conciliate him on account of his power. Horn despises the idle rich and goes out of his way to humiliate them. At a social function he meets Wayne Madison, a leader of the old Knickerbocker families. Madison snubs Horn at slight provocation and Horn determines to bring the aristocrat to his feet.

He manipulates stocks in which Madison is interested so that they fall hopelessly. Facing disaster, Madison sends for Horn and wants to know what his terms will be to save him financially. Horn has become interested in Viva Madison (Enid Markey), the daughter of the society man. He demands the hand of the girl as the price for rescuing the father, and finally procures the girl's unwilling consent to marry him. He brutally asks her if she knows what price had been put on her by her father. This insult works on the proud, sensitive girl and in a climax of dramatic intensity she rebels and states her views in no uncertain terms. The final outcome of the story keeps the spectator in suspense until the last scene is shown.

Willard Mack as Horn plays with pronounced force and interprets the cynical character in most satisfying style.

The comedy feature of the bill is a humorous Keystone farce entitled, "A Movie Star." Mack Swain heads a good cast of Keystone fun-makers who take advantage of every opportunity for creating merriment.

'I'm Threatened:' Trona Witness

Both Sides Shadow, He Alleges

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 17.—Testimony that W. J. Lee, representing plaintiffs, would "fix him unless he changed his evidence," was given in the superior court here yesterday by L. D. Rasor, a witness in the suit to eject the California Trona Company from valuable potash deposits at Searles Lake, San Bernardino county. Rasor was called as a witness for the plaintiffs, R. Waymire and E. Thompson, and the testimony regarding the alleged threats was brought out by the Trona company officials on cross-examination.

"Lee told me that I had better correct my testimony with reference to the map and regarding what happened at Searles Lake in October, 1910," Rasor testified.

"Detective Greenlea told me if I did not change my evidence Lee would fix me," he added.

Rasor stated on the witness stand that he had been constantly shadowed by detectives for both the Trona company and the plaintiffs since he came here to testify.

RANCHER RESTRAINED.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 17.—A restraining order affecting a $15,000 ranch in Merced county and the Minnesota Hotel in this city is affected in divorce proceedings instituted by Mrs. Mary Carrela against John Carrela, a hotelman, on the ground of cruelty.

No Trace Found of Man Who Murdered Chinese

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 17.—Detectives James Skelly and Frank McGrayan and members of the Chinatown squad have so far been unable to find a trace of a young Chinese who is said to have been friendly with Ah Soo, found murdered in a lodging house at 858 Washington street last night. Ah Soo was the wife of an Isleton truck farmer and member of the Bing Kong Tong. The reason for the murder is unknown, but it may have been due to retribution for some tong offense. It has been rumored that the woman was to have received some money and robbery might have been the motive. The woman's husband is on the way here vowing vengence and a new tong war may be the outcome.

CENTER POSTPONES MEETING.

MELROSE, Feb. 17. — The East End Civic Center will not meet Tuesday, February 22, on account of the holiday. A social and business meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon, February 29, instead.

Trial of William Lorimer Commenced

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—The trial of William Lorimer on charges growing out of the failure of the La Salle Street Trust and Savings Bank, began today before Judge Dever in the criminal court. It was estimated that two and possibly three weeks would be required to complete the selection of the jury.

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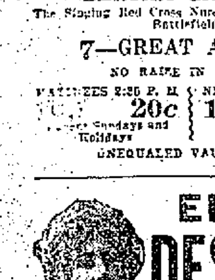

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